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School Seismic Safety Assessment Project, Contract No. AE 410 -

Seismic Evaluation for Naches Valley School District

Dear Ms. Forson and Mr. Black:

Reid Middleton and our consultant team, under the direction of The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Washington Geological Survey (WGS) School Seismic Safety Project, have conducted seismic evaluations of 222 school buildings and 5 fire stations throughout Washington State. This letter is transmitting the results of these seismic assessments for each school district that graciously participated in this statewide study. We understand that you will be forwarding this letter and the accompanying seismic screening reports to each school district for their reference and use.

Many disparate studies on improving the seismic safety of our public school buildings have been performed over the last several decades. Experts in building safety, geologic hazards, emergency management, education, and even the news media have been asserting for decades that seismic risks in older public school buildings represent a risk to our communities. The time to act is now, before we have a damaging earthquake and/or tsunami that could be catastrophic. This statewide school seismic safety assessment project provides a unique opportunity to draw attention to the need for statewide seismic safety policies and funding on behalf of all school districts that will help enable school districts to increase the seismic safety of their older buildings to make them safer for students, teachers, staff, parents, and the community.

It is not the intent of this study to create an unfunded mandate for school districts to seismically upgrade their schools without associated funding or statewide seismic safety policy support. The overall goal of this study was to screen and evaluate the current levels of seismic vulnerabilities of a statewide selection of our older public school buildings and to use the data and information to help quantify funding and policy needs to improve the seismic safety of our public schools. In this process, we are using the information to inform not only the Governor

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and the Legislature of the policy and funding needs for seismically safe schools but also the school districts that participated in the study.

School Buildings Evaluated in the Naches Valley School District

We appreciate Naches Valley School District's participation and invaluable assistance in this statewide project. The following school district buildings were included as part of this study:

- 1. Naches Valley High School, Gym Building
- 2. Naches Valley High School, Main Building
- 3. Naches Valley High School, Vocational Building
- 4. Naches Valley Middle School, Main Building

The seismic screening of these buildings was performed using the American Society of Civil Engineers' Standard 41-17, *Seismic Evaluation and Retrofit of Existing Buildings* (ASCE 41-17), national standard Tier 1 structural and nonstructural seismic screening checklists specific to each building's structure type.

The WGS also conducted seismic site class assessments to measure the shear wave velocity and determine the soil site class at each campus. Site class is an approximation of how much soils at a site will amplify earthquake-induced ground motions and is a critical parameter used in seismic design. Reid Middleton subsequently used this information in their seismic screening analyses.

The following table is a list of available seismic assessment information used in our study:

School Building	Year Constructed	FEMA Building Classification	Structural Drawings Available for Review
Naches Valley High School, Gym Building	1979	Tilt-up Concrete Shear Walls with Rigid Diaphragm	Yes
Naches Valley High School, Main Building	1979	Reinforced Masonry Walls with Flexible Diaphragms	Yes
Naches Valley High School, Vocational Building	1979	Reinforced Masonry Walls with Flexible Diaphragms	Yes
Naches Valley Middle School, Main Building	1994	Reinforced Masonry Walls with Flexible Diaphragms	Some

Detailed descriptions of the seismic screening evaluations of these buildings can be found in the individual building reports and the ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 screening checklist documents enclosed with this letter. This information will also be available for download on the WGS website: https://www.dnr.wa.gov/programs-and-services/geology/geologic-hazards/earthquakes-and-faults/school-seismic-safety.



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These Tier 1 seismic screening checklists are often the first step employed by structural engineers when trying to determine the seismic vulnerabilities of existing buildings and to begin a process of mitigating these seismic vulnerabilities. School district facilities management personnel and their design consultants should be able to take advantage of this information to help inform and address seismic risks in existing or future renovation, repair, or modernization projects.

It is important to note that information used for these school seismic screenings was limited to available construction drawings and limited site observations by our team of licensed structural engineers to observe the general conditions and configuration of each building being seismically screened. In many cases, construction drawings were not available for review as noted in the table above. Due to the limited scope of the study, our team of engineers were not able to perform more-detailed investigations above ceilings, behind wall finishes, in confined spaces, or in other areas obstructed from view. Where building component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information, the unknown conditions were indicated as such on the ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 checklists. Additional field investigations are recommended for the "unknown" seismic evaluation checklist items if more-definitive determinations of seismic safety compliance and further development of seismic mitigation strategies are desired.

Nonstructural Seismic Screening

The enclosed ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 Nonstructural Seismic Screening checklists can provide immediate guidance on seismic deficiencies in nonstructural elements. Mitigating the risk of earthquake impacts from these nonstructural elements should be addressed as soon as practical by school districts. Some nonstructural elements may be easily mitigated by installing seismic bracing of tall cabinets, moving heavy contents to the bottom of shelving, and adding seismic strapping or bracing to water tanks and overhead elements (light fixtures, mechanical units, piping, fire protection systems, etc.).

It is often most economical to mitigate nonstructural seismic hazards when the building is already undergoing mechanical, electrical, plumbing, or architectural upgrades or modernizations. Enclosed with these nonstructural seismic screening checklists are excerpts from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) publication E-74 entitled, *Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage* (FEMA E-74). We have included these FEMA publication excerpts to help illustrate typical seismic mitigation measures that can potentially be implemented by district facilities and maintenance personnel.

Structural Seismic Screening

The enclosed ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 Structural Seismic Screening checklists have evaluation statements that are reviewed for specific building elements and systems to determine if these items are seismically compliant, noncompliant, not applicable, or unknown. These evaluation statements provide guidance on which structural systems and elements have identified seismic deficiencies and should be investigated further. Further seismic evaluations beyond these seismic screening checklists typically consist of more-detailed seismic structural analyses to better define the seismic vulnerabilities and risks. This information is then used to determine



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cost-effective ways to seismically improve these buildings with stand-alone seismic upgrade projects or incrementally as part of other ongoing building maintenance, repair, or modernization projects. Consequently, implementing seismic structural mitigation strategies typically requires that they be developed as a part of longer-term capital improvements and modernization programs developed by the school district and their design consultants.

Next Steps

Due to the screening nature of the ASCE 41-17 Tier 1 procedures, an in-depth seismic evaluation and analysis of these buildings may be needed before detailed seismic upgrades or improvements, conceptual designs, and probable construction cost estimates are developed.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the engineering reports or would like to discuss this further, please contact us.

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1. Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Gym Building

1.1 Building Description

Building Name: Gym Building

Facility Name: Naches Valley High School

District Name: Naches Valley

ICOS Latitude: 46.736
ICOS Longitude: -120.703

ICOS

County/District ID: 25116

ICOS Building ID:

ASCE 41 Bldg Type: PC1a
Enrollment: 453
Gross Sq. Ft.: 21,000
Year Built: 1979

Number of Stories: 1

S_{XS BSE-2E}: 0.581 S_{X1 BSE-2E}: 0.352

ASCE 41 Level of

Seismicity:

Site Class: D

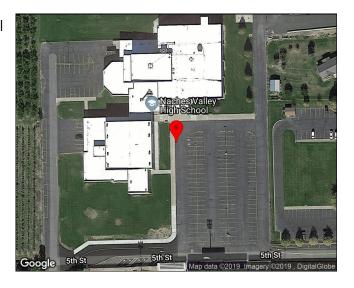
V_{S30}(m/s): 343

Liquefaction

Potential: very low to low

Tsunami Risk: None
Structural Drawings Available: Yes

Evaluating Firm: BergerABAM/WSP





Naches Valley High School is a complex of three buildings, the Gym (#1), the Main Building (#2) and the Vocational-Technical Building (#3). The total square footage is 85,173 sf. The building was constructed in 1979 in accordance with the 1976 UBC code.

Naches Valley High School Gym (aka building #1) is a one story precast concrete structure with steel roof trusses. The precast concrete wall panels are 12" thick and incorporate insulation. The roof structure is 20 ga 1.5" metal roof deck over metal roof joists at 6 ft on center. The locker room is constructed with reinforced masonry walls. The site is sloping such that the north entrance is at the second floor. The building was constructed in 1979 in accordance with the 1976 UBC code.

Naches Valley school buildings were uniformly in excellent condition and extremely well maintained and cared for. Structural drawings were available on site. Because the building was constructed in 1979 in



accordance with the 1976 UBC code, there are likely deficiencies in the lateral force resisting system although existing drawing details indicated strapping attaching the wood roof diaphragm directly to the walls and avoiding cross grain bending in ledgers. Cross ties do not appeared to be detailed for the flexible wood roof diaphragm fastened to masonry/concrete walls in the structural drawings.

The gym building is very well maintained and in excellent condition. Being that it was constructed in 1979 to the 1976 UBC, there are likely seismic deficiencies that should be investigated. Non-structural elements would also benefit from additional straps and/or bracing.

1.1.1 Building Use

The Naches Valley High School Gym has the main gym space, an upper gym and locker rooms. The total student population is about 450 students. The gym is roughly 21,000 sf.

1.1.2 Structural System

Table 1.1-1. Structural System Description of Naches Valley High School

Structural System	Description
Structural Roof	The structural roof over the gym space is metal roof deck over steel roof joists.
Structural Root	The structural roof over the wood framing is plywood sheathing.
Structural Floor(s)	The structural floor is slab on grade.
Foundations	The foundations are shallow, continuous footings.
	The gravity system consists of steel framed roof joists over the gym with wood
Gravity System	framing (plywood web joists, open web joists and 2x6 joists) supported by
	masonry and precast concrete bearing walls.
	The lateral force resisting system consists of a flexible metal roof diaphragm
Lateral System	over the roof and a flexible plywood roof diaphragm over the locker room and
	other wood framed spaced. The shear walls are masonry and precast concrete.

1.1.3 Structural System Visual Condition

Table 1.1-2. Structural System Condition Description of Naches Valley High School

Structural System	Description
Structural Roof	No visible signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Structural Floor(s)	No visible signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Foundations	Unknown
Gravity System	No visible signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Lateral System	No visible signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration. There may be locations where additional straps, bracing or ties would be beneficial for lateral system performance.

1.2 Seismic Evaluation Findings

1.2.1 Structural Seismic Deficiencies

The structural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation.

Table 1-3. Identified Structural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Gym Building

Deficiency	Description
Cross Ties in	Building is well detailed including diaphragm nailing plans, but continuous cross ties are not detailed which is
Flexible	not surprising due to the 1979 date of construction. Steel joists act as a continuous cross tie in the East-West
Diaphragms	direction. Additional blocking, strapping and fastening to diaphragm are likely required.
Diagonally	
Sheathed and	Gym roof is unblocked and has horizontal span greater than 40 ft. Requires further field investigation and
Unblocked	calculation to make a final determination and mitigation recommendation.
Diaphragms	

1.2.2 Structural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building structural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the structural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown structural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Table 1-4. Identified Structural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Gym Building

Unknown Item	Description
Liquefaction	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Very low to low liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure. The structure appears to be located on a relatively flat site.
Surface Fault Rupture	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine whether site is near locations of expected surface fault ruptures.
Reinforcing Steel	According to the structural drawings, the precast walls were designed by others and the reinforcement is unavailable. According to the structural drawings, the cmu wall reinforcement complies.

1.3.1 Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies

The nonstructural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation. Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-5. Identified Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Gym Building					
Deficiency	Description				

The Tier 1 nonstructural seismic evaluation performed for this school building could not confirm nonstructural seismic deficiencies due to limited access for visual observation and/or lack of existing drawings available for review. Please refer to the next page of this report for the list of nonstructural items marked as "unknown" and commentary indicating the need for further investigation or the likelihood of compliance or non-compliance based on the age of construction.

1.3.2 Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building nonstructural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the nonstructural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown nonstructural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-6. Identified Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Gym Building

Table 1-6. Identified Nonstructur	ral Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Gym Building
Unknown Item	Description
LSS-1 Fire Suppression	Not detailed on available drawings or visually verified during site visit. Assumed to be
Piping. HR-not required; LS-	noncompliant due to year of construction (1979). See Report documents (including Appendix) for
LMH; PR-LMH.	bracing guidance.
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings.	Not detailed on available drawings or visually verified during site visit. Assumed to be
HR-not required; LS-LMH;	noncompliant due to year of construction (1979). See Report documents (including Appendix) for
PR-LMH.	bracing guidance.
LSS-3 Emergency Power. HR-	Not detailed on available drawings or visually verified during site visit. Assumed to be
not required; LS-LMH; PR-	noncompliant due to year of construction (1979). See Report documents (including Appendix) for
LMH.	bracing guidance.
LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling	
Clearance. HR-not required;	Not detailed on drawings and impossible to tell from photos if the correct clearance is being
LS-MH; PR-MH.	provided.
HM-1 Hazardous Material	
Equipment. HR-LMH; LS-	Did not observe equipment mounted on vibration isolators.
LMH; PR-LMH.	
HM-2 Hazardous Material	
Storage. HR-LMH; LS-LMH;	Unknown if containers in mechanical room hold hazardous material or if they are breakable.
PR-LMH.	
HM-3 Hazardous Material	Not detailed on available drawings. Can't tell from field visit photos, but assumed to be
Distribution. HR-MH; LS-	noncompliant due to year of construction (1979). See Report documents (including Appendix) for
MH; PR-MH.	bracing guidance.
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-	
MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Did not observe but most likely compliant. Should be confirmed.
HM-5 Flexible Couplings.	
HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-	Did not observe but most likely compliant. Should be confirmed.
LMH.	
LF-1 Independent Support.	
HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-	Much of Gym does not have a ceiling. Locker rooms and hallways have suspended ceilings and the
MH.	lights are just below. Unable to see how the lights are fastened and braced.
PCOA-2 Canopies. HR-not	
required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Canopies appeared to be well fastened to structure.
CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks.	Photos do not indicate any industrial storage racks or pallet racks more than 12 feet high. District
HR-LMH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	to confirm. See Report documents (including Appendix) for bracing guidance.
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents.	
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-	Did not observe. District to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing
MH.	wall, provide overturning base restraint.
CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents.	Did not observe. District to confirm. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	or cabling to avoid becoming falling hazards.

Unknown Item	Description				
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment.	Did not observe any fall prone equipment.				
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Did not observe any ran prone equipment.				
ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-	Did not observe in-line equipment.				
not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Did not observe in-line equipment.				
ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment.	Did not observe. District to confirm. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller than 6 feet to				
HR-not required: LS-H: PR-					
MH.	nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.				



Figure 1-1. Naches Valley HS Gym



Figure 1-2. Naches Valley HS Gym



Figure 1-3. Naches Valley Gym



Figure 1-4. Naches Valley HS Gym



Figure 1-5. Naches Valley HS Gym cmu infill at door

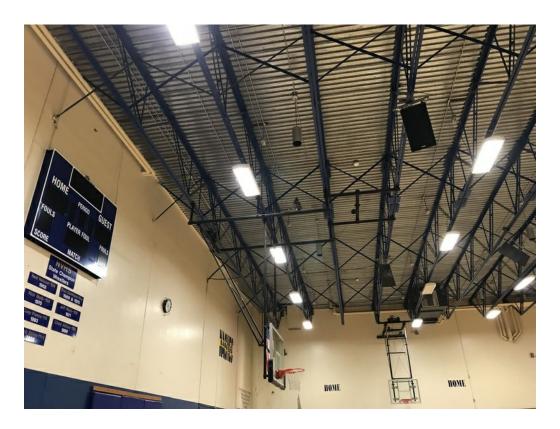


Figure 1-6. Naches Valley HS Gym Roof



Figure 1-7. Naches Valley HS Locker Room



Figure 1-8. Naches Valley HS interior brick wall



Figure 1-9. Naches Valley HS Gym/Locker Room

Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Gym Building 17-2 Collapse Prevention Basic Configuration Checklist

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low Seismicity

Building System - General

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Load Path	The structure contains a complete, well-defined load path, including structural elements and connections, that serves to transfer the inertial forces associated with the mass of all elements of the building to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.10)	X				The existing structural drawings indicate well designed and detailed connections between the structural elements.
Adjacent Buildings	The clear distance between the building being evaluated and any adjacent building is greater than 0.25% of the height of the shorter building in low seismicity, 0.5% in moderate seismicity, and 1.5% in high seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.2)	X				No seismic joint at intersection with adjacent main building constructed with cmu walls. Gym walls are doweled into the intersecting main building masonry walls with #4 x 24-inch threaded rod and expansion bolt insert per detail 8/S5.
Mezzanines	Interior mezzanine levels are braced independently from the main structure or are anchored to the seismic-force-resisting elements of the main structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.3)			X		No mezzanines.

Building System - Building Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Weak Story	The sum of the shear strengths of the seismic- force-resisting system in any story in each direction is not less than 80% of the strength in the adjacent story above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.2)	X				One-story building.
Soft Story	The stiffness of the seismic-force-resisting system in any story is not less than 70% of the seismic-force-resisting system stiffness in an adjacent story above or less than 80% of the average seismic-force-resisting system stiffness of the three stories above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.3)	X				One-story building.

Vertical Irregularities	All vertical elements in the seismic-forceresisting system are continuous to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.4)	X		One-story building.
Geometry	There are no changes in the net horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system of more than 30% in a story relative to adjacent stories, excluding one-story penthouses and mezzanines. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.4; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.5)	X		One-story building.
Mass	There is no change in effective mass of more than 50% from one story to the next. Light roofs, penthouses, and mezzanines need not be considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.5; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.6)	X		One-story building.
Torsion	The estimated distance between the story center of mass and the story center of rigidity is less than 20% of the building width in either plan dimension. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.6; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.7)	X		The building has flexible diaphragms and a generous layout of shear walls so torsion should not be an issue. The gym space is roughly square so torsion should not be an issue there either.

Moderate Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low Seismicity)

Geologic Site Hazards

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Liquefaction	Liquefaction-susceptible, saturated, loose granular soils that could jeopardize the building's seismic performance do not exist in the foundation soils at depths within 50 ft (15.2 m) under the building. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.1)				X	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Very low to low liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	The building site is located away from potential earthquake-induced slope failures or rockfalls so that it is unaffected by such failures or is capable of accommodating any predicted movements without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.2)				X	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure. The structure appears to be located on a relatively flat site.

					Requires further
-	Surface fault rupture and surface displacement at the building site are not anticipated. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.3)				investigation by a licensed
				v	geotechnical engineer to
				Λ	determine whether site is
					near locations of expected
					surface fault ruptures.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Foundation Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Overturning	The ratio of the least horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system at the foundation level to the building height (base/height) is greater than 0.6Sa. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.3; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.1)	X				For the gym, base/height > 3 which is much greater than 0.6Sa = 0.35. For the adjacent spaced, the base/height ratio is even greater.
Ties Between Foundation Elements	The foundation has ties adequate to resist seismic forces where footings, piles, and piers are not restrained by beams, slabs, or soils classified as Site Class A, B, or C. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.2)	X				Soil Site Class D and the footings are restrained by slabs.

17-28 Collapse Prevention Structural Checklist for Building Types PC1 and PC1a

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low Seismicity

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Wall Anchorage	Exterior concrete or masonry walls that are dependent on the diaphragm for lateral support are anchored for out-of-plane forces at each diaphragm level with steel anchors, reinforcing dowels, or straps that are developed into the diaphragm. Connections have strength to resist the connection force calculated in the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.7. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.1)	X				The precast gym walls are anchored to the flexible metal deck with a continuous angle welded to insert plates at 32 inches oc (3/S8). The masonry walls at the locker rooms and other spaces are fastened to the flexible plywood diaphragm per details on sheet S13 (details 4, 5, 7, etc.) with strap ties. The flexible wood roof diaphragm is anchored to the precast gym walls per 8/S13.

Moderate Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low Seimicity)

Seismic-Force-Resisting System

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Redundancy	The number of lines of shear walls in each principal direction is greater than or equal to 2. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.1.1)	X				There are many shear walls and the flexible diaphragms will distribute the loads to the shear walls on a tributary area basis.
Wall Shear Stress Check	The shear stress in the precast panels, calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.3, is less than the greater of 100 lb/in.2 (0.69 MPa) or $2\sqrt{f}$ c. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.3.1)	X				The ASCE Quick check of the shear stress in the precast panel shear walls indicated compliance.
Reinforcing Steel	The ratio of reinforcing steel area to gross concrete area is not less than 0.0012 in the vertical direction and 0.0020 in the horizontal direction. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.3.2)				X	According to the structural drawings, the precast walls were designed by others and the reinforcement is unavailable. According to the structural drawings, the cmu wall reinforcement complies.

	Thicknesses of bearing walls are not less than			12-inch nominal panel
Wall Thickness	1/40 the unsupported height or length, whichever	\mathbf{v}		thickness is greater than 1/40
wan inickness	is shorter, nor less than 4 in. (101 mm). (Tier 2:	Λ		of the estimated 30 feet
	Sec. 5.5.3.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.3.5)			unsupported height.

Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Topping Slab	Precast concrete diaphragm elements are interconnected by a continuous reinforced concrete topping slab with a minimum thickness of 2 in. (51 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.4.5.1)			X		No precast diaphragm elements (or topping slab).

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Wood Ledgers	The connection between the wall panels and the diaphragm does not induce cross-grain bending or tension in the wood ledgers. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.2)	X				Believed to be compliant but should be further reviewed - some details had ties and some did not.
Transfer to Shear Walls	Diaphragms are connected for transfer of seismic forces to the shear walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.1)	X				Existing connection capacity unknown but the available drawings indicated a well-designed and detailed building.
Topping Slab to Walls or Frames	Reinforced concrete topping slabs that interconnect the precast concrete diaphragm elements are doweled for transfer of forces into the shear wall or frame elements. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.3)			X		No precast concrete diaphragm elements.
Girder-Column Conncection	There is a positive connection using plates, connection hardware, or straps between the girder and the column support. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.4.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.4.1)			X		Do not appear to be any girder-column connections in the gym building.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Seismic-Force-Resisting System

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
I Compatibility for Rigid	Secondary components have the shear capacity to develop the flexural strength of the components. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.2.5.2; Commentary: Sec. A.3.1.6.2)			X		No rigid diaphragms.
Wall Openings	The total width of openings along any perimeter wall line constitutes less than 75% of the length of any perimeter wall when the wall piers have aspect ratios of less than 2-to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.3.3)			X		Wall piers do not have aspect ratios less than 2 to 1.

Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT

Cross Ties in Flexible Diaphragms	There are continuous cross ties between diaphragm chords. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.2)		X		Building is well detailed including diaphragm nailing plans, but continuous cross ties are not detailed which is not surprising due to the 1979 date of construction. Steel joists act as a continuous cross tie in the East-West direction. Additional blocking, strapping and fastening to diaphragm are likely required.
Straight Sheathing	All straight-sheathed diaphragms have aspect ratios less than 2-to-1 in the direction being considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.1)			X	No straight sheathed diaphragms.
Spans	All wood diaphragms with spans greater than 24 ft (7.3 m) consist of wood structural panels or diagonal sheathing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.2)	X			Wood structural panels provided.
Diagonally Sheathed and Unblocked Diaphragms	All diagonally sheathed or unblocked wood structural panel diaphragms have horizontal spans less than 40 ft (12.2 m) and aspect ratios less than or equal to 4 to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.3)		X		Gym roof is unblocked and has horizontal span greater than 40 ft. Requires further field investigation and calculation to make a final determination and mitigation recommendation.
Other Diaphragms	Diaphragms do not consist of a system other than wood, metal deck, concrete, or horizontal bracing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.4.7.1)	X			Diaphragms consist of metal deck or wood sheathing.

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Minimum Number of Wall Anchors Per Panel	There are at least two anchors connecting each precast wall panel to the diaphragm elements. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.3)	X				Three minimum anchors per panel, reference Detail 3/S8.
Precast Wall Panels	Precast wall panels are connected to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.5.3.6)	X				Reference detail 2/S2, indicating dowels to the foundations.
Uplift at Pile Caps	Pile caps have top reinforcement, and piles are anchored to the pile caps. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.3.5; Commentary: Sec. A.5.3.8)			X		No piles or pile caps.

Girders	Girders supported by walls or pilasters have at least two ties securing the anchor bolts unless provided with independent stiff wall anchors with strength to resist the connection force calculated in the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.7. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.4.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.4.2)			X		No girders at the gym building.
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17-38 Nonstructural Checklist

Notes:

C = Compliant, NC = Noncompliant, N/A = Not Applicable, and U = Unknown.

Performance Level: HR = Hazards Reduced, LS = Life Safety, and PR = Position Retention.

Level of Seismicity: L = Low, M = Moderate, and H = High

Life Safety Systems

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LSS-1 Fire Suppression Piping. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	11 11 5		X			No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on year of construction (1979) of the building, it is assumed that seismic bracing for fire suppression piping does not comply with NFPA 13. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Fire suppression piping has flexible couplings in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)		X			No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, it is assumed the flexible couplings on the fire suppression piping do not comply with NFPA 13. Flexible coupling for fire suppression piping may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

LSS-3 Emergency Power. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Equipment used to power or control Life Safety systems is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.1)			X	Available record drawings do not have information on anchorage or bracing for emergency power equipment and could not verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, emergency power equipment is either nonexistent or noncompliant. Evaluation of emergency power equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-4 Stair and Smoke Ducts. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Stair pressurization and smoke control ducts are braced and have flexible connections at seismic joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.1)		X		No stairs.
LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling Clearance. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Penetrations through panelized ceilings for fire suppression devices provide clearances in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	No available record drawing information on sprinkler head clearance and unable to verify during site investigation. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-6 Emergency Lighting. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-LMH	Emergency and egress lighting equipment is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.1)		X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Hazardous Materials

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
HM-1 Hazardous Material Equipment. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators and containing hazardous material is equipped with restraints or snubbers. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.2)			X		Did not observe equipment containing hazardous materials mounted on vibration isolators. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-2 Hazardous Material Storage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Breakable containers that hold hazardous material, including gas cylinders, are restrained by latched doors, shelf lips, wires, or other methods. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.3; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.1)				X	Unknown whether the building has hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

HM-3 Hazardous Material Distribution. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials is braced or otherwise protected from damage that would allow hazardous material release. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)		X		Did not observe any piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials.
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping containing hazardous material, including natural gas, has shutoff valves or other devices to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	It is unknown if there are shutoff valves for piping containing hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-5 Flexible Couplings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Hazardous material ductwork and piping, including natural gas piping, have flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.4)			X	Did not observe any hazardous material ductwork and piping. Further investigation may be apprpopriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-6 Piping or Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork carrying hazardous material that either crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5, 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)		X		Building has no seismic joints.

Partitions

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
P-1 Unreinforced Masonry. HR-LMH; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Unreinforced masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are braced at a spacing of at most 10 ft (3.0 m) in Low or Moderate Seismicity, or at most 6 ft (1.8 m) in High Seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.1)			X		There are no URM partitions in the building.
P-2 Heavy Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	The tops of masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)			X		Did not observe, but drawings indicate masonry partitions are reinforced and braced. Diagonal bracing provided at 12 ft on center max per detail 6/S7, existing drawings.
P-3 Drift. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Rigid cementitious partitions are detailed to accommodate the following drift ratios: in steel moment frame, concrete moment frame, and wood frame buildings, 0.02; in other buildings, 0.005. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.2)			X		There were no rigid cementitious partitions observed in building.
P-4 Light Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of gypsum board partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

P-5 Structural Separations. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Partitions that cross structural separations have seismic or control joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.3)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
P-6 Tops. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of ceiling-high framed or panelized partitions have lateral bracing to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.4)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Ceilings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
C-1 Suspended Lath and Plaster. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended lath and plaster ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		No suspended lath and plaster ceilings observed.
C-2 Suspended Gypsum Board. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended gypsum board ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		There are no suspended gypsum board ceilings.
C-3 Integrated Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) and ceilings of smaller areas that are not surrounded by restraining partitions are laterally restrained at a spacing no greater than 12 ft (3.6 m) with members attached to the structure above. Each restraint location has a minimum of four diagonal wires and compression struts, or diagonal members capable of resisting compression. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-4 Edge Clearance. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) have clearances from the enclosing wall or partition of at least the following: in Moderate Seismicity, 1/2 in. (13 mm); in High Seismicity, 3/4 in. (19 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-5 Continuity Across Structure Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The ceiling system does not cross any seismic joint and is not attached to multiple independent structures. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.5)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-6 Edge Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) are supported by closure angles or channels not less than 2 in. (51 mm) wide. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.6)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

	Acoustical tile or lay-in panel ceilings have				
C-7 Seismic Joints. HR-	seismic separation joints such that each				
not required; LS-not	continuous portion of the ceiling is no more than			X	Not required for life safety
required; PR-H.	2,500 ft2 (232.3 m2) and has a ratio of long-to-			Λ	performance level.
required, 1 K-11.	short dimension no more than 4-to-1. (Tier 2:				
	Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.7)				

Light Fixtures

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LF-1 Independent Support. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Light fixtures that weigh more per square foot than the ceiling they penetrate are supported independent of the grid ceiling suspension system by a minimum of two wires at diagonally opposite corners of each fixture. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4, 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.2)				X	Much of Gym does not have a ceiling. Locker rooms and hallways have suspended ceilings and the lights are just below. Unable to see how the lights are fastened and braced. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LF-2 Pendant Supports. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Light fixtures on pendant supports are attached at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft. Unbraced suspended fixtures are free to allow a 360-degree range of motion at an angle not less than 45 degrees from horizontal without contacting adjacent components. Alternatively, if rigidly supported and/or braced, they are free to move with the structure to which they are attached without damaging adjoining components. Additionally, the connection to the structure is capable of accommodating the movement without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.3)			Х		Not required for life safety performance level.
LF-3 Lens Covers. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Lens covers on light fixtures are attached with safety devices. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.4)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Cladding and Glazing

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CG-1 Cladding Anchors. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding components weighing more than 10 lb/ft2 (0.48 kN/m2) are mechanically anchored to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 ft (1.2 m) (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.1)			X		The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

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CG-2 Cladding Isolation. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	For steel or concrete moment-frame buildings, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.3)	>	ζ	The building is not a steel or concrete moment frame building.
CG-3 Multi-Story Panels. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For multi-story panels attached at more than one floor level, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.4)	>	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-4 Threaded Rods. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Threaded rods for panel connections detailed to accommodate drift by bending of the rod have a length-to-diameter ratio greater than 0.06 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity and 0.12 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in High Seismicity and Position Retention in any seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.9)	>	ζ.	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-5 Panel Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding panels are anchored out of plane with a minimum number of connections for each wall panel, as follows: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 2 connections; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.5)	3	X.	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-6 Bearing Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where bearing connections are used, there is a minimum of two bearing connections for each cladding panel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.6)	>	ζ.	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-7 Inserts. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where concrete cladding components use inserts, the inserts have positive anchorage or are anchored to reinforcing steel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.7)	>	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

CG-8 Overhead Glazing. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Glazing panes of any size in curtain walls and individual interior or exterior panes more than 16 ft2 (1.5 m2) in area are laminated annealed or laminated heat-strengthened glass and are detailed to remain in the frame when cracked. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.8)			X		The building does not have any glazing panes.
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Masonry Veneer

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
M-1 Ties. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is connected to the backup with corrosion-resistant ties. There is a minimum of one tie for every 2-2/3 ft2 (0.25 m2), and the ties have spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 36 in. (914 mm); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 24 in. (610 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.1)			X		High school gym does not have masonry veneer.
M-2 Shelf Angles. HR- not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is supported by shelf angles or other elements at each floor above the ground floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.2)			X		High school gym does not have masonry veneer.
M-3 Weakened Planes. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is anchored to the backup adjacent to weakened planes, such as at the locations of flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.3)			X		High school gym does not have masonry veneer.
M-4 Unreinforced Masonry Backup. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	There is no unreinforced masonry backup. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.2)			X		High school gym does not have masonry veneer.
M-5 Stud Tracks. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with coldformed steel stud backup, stud tracks are fastened to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 24 in. (610 mm) on center. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.)			X		High school gym does not have masonry veneer.
M-6 Anchorage. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with concrete block or masonry backup, the backup is positively anchored to the structure at a horizontal spacing equal to or less than 4 ft along the floors and roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.1)			X		High school gym does not have masonry veneer.
M-7 Weep Holes. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	In veneer anchored to stud walls, the veneer has functioning weep holes and base flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.6)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
M-8 Openings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	For veneer with cold-formed-steel stud backup, steel studs frame window and door openings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.2)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Parapets, Cornices, Ornamentation, and Appendages

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
PCOA-1 URM Parapets or Cornices. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Laterally unsupported unreinforced masonry parapets or cornices have height-tothickness ratios no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 2.5; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 1.5. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.1)			X		No URM parapets or cornices.
PCOA-2 Canopies. HR- not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Canopies at building exits are anchored to the structure at a spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 10 ft (3.0 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.2)	X				Canopies appeared to be well fastened to structure.
PCOA-3 Concrete Parapets. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Concrete parapets with height-to-thickness ratios greater than 2.5 have vertical reinforcement. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.3)	X				Concrete parapets are reinforced.
PCOA-4 Appendages. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- LMH.	Cornices, parapets, signs, and other ornamentation or appendages that extend above the highest point of anchorage to the structure or cantilever from components are reinforced and anchored to the structural system at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). This evaluation statement item does not apply to parapets or cornices covered by other evaluation statements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.4)			Х		No appendages.

Masonry Chimneys

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
MC-1 URM Chimneys. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Unreinforced masonry chimneys extend above the roof surface no more than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 3 times the least dimension of the chimney; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 2 times the least dimension of the chimney. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.1)			X		No URM chimneys.
MC-2 Anchorage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry chimneys are anchored at each floor level, at the topmost ceiling level, and at the roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.2)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.

Stairs

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
S-1 Stair Enclosures. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Hollow-clay tile or unreinforced masonry walls around stair enclosures are restrained out of plane and have height-to-thickness ratios not greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 15-to-1; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 12-to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2, 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.1)			X		No stairs.
S-2 Stair Details. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	The connection between the stairs and the structure does not rely on post-installed anchors in concrete or masonry, and the stair details are capable of accommodating the drift calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.1 for moment-frame structures or 0.5 in. for all other structures without including any lateral stiffness contribution from the stairs. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.2)			X		No stairs.

Contents and Furnishings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks. HR-LMH; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Industrial storage racks or pallet racks more than 12 ft high meet the requirements of ANSI/RMI MH 16.1 as modified by ASCE 7, Chapter 15. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.1)			X		Does not appear that there are any industrial storage racks taller than 12 feet in the building.
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Contents more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 are anchored to the structure or to each other. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.2)				X	Did not observe. District to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment, stored items, or other contents weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level are braced or otherwise restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.3)				X	Did not observe. District to confirm. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting or cabling to avoid becoming falling hazards.
CF-4 Access Floors. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Access floors more than 9 in. (229 mm) high are braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-5 Equipment on Access Floors. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Equipment and other contents supported by access floor systems are anchored or braced to the structure independent of the access floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.5)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

CF-6 Suspended	Items suspended without lateral bracing are free			
Contents HR-not	to swing from or move with the structure from		37	Not required for life safety
required; LS-not	which they are suspended without damaging themselves or adjoining components. (Tier 2:		X	performance level.
required; PR-H.	Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.6)			

Mechanical and Electrical Equipment

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level, and which is not in-line equipment, is braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.4)				X	Did not observe any fall prone equipment. Bracing required for equipment weighing more than 20 lb located 4 feet or more above the floor to mitigate seismic risk.
ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment installed in line with a duct or piping system, with an operating weight more than 75 lb (34.0 kg), is supported and laterally braced independent of the duct or piping system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.5)				X	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Unable to determine during site investigation. Bracing for heavy in-line equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Equipment more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 is anchored to the floor slab or adjacent structural walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.6)				X	Did not observe. District to confirm. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
	Mechanically operated doors are detailed to operate at a story drift ratio of 0.01. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.7)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-5 Suspended Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment suspended without lateral bracing is free to swing from or move with the structure from which it is suspended without damaging itself or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.8)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators is equipped with horizontal restraints or snubbers and with vertical restraints to resist overturning. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.9)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-7 Heavy Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Floor supported or platform-supported equipment weighing more than 400 lb (181.4 kg) is anchored to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.10)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-8 Electrical Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Electrical equipment is laterally braced to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.11)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

	Conduit greater than 2.5 in. (64 mm) trade size			
ME-9 Conduit	that is attached to panels, cabinets, or other			
Couplings. HR-not	equipment and is subject to relative seismic		X	Not required for life safety
required; LS-not	displacement has flexible couplings or		Λ	performance level.
required; PR-H.	connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.8; Commentary:			
	Sec. A.7.12.12)			

Piping

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
	Fluid and gas piping has flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-2 Fluid and Gas Piping. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Fluid and gas piping is anchored and braced to the structure to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-3 C-Clamps. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	One-sided C-clamps that support piping larger than 2.5 in. (64 mm) in diameter are restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.5)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
PP-4 Piping Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Piping that crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Ducts

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
D-1 Duct Bracing. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Rectangular ductwork larger than 6 ft2 (0.56 m2) in cross-sectional area and round ducts larger than 28 in. (711 mm) in diameter are braced. The maximum spacing of transverse bracing does not exceed 30 ft (9.2 m). The maximum spacing of longitudinal bracing does not exceed 60 ft (18.3 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.2)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-2 Duct Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts are not supported by piping or electrical conduit. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.3)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-3 Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts that cross seismic joints or isolation planes or are connected to independent structures have couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Elevators

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
EL-1 Retainer Guards.	Sheaves and drums have cable retainer guards.					
HR-not required; LS-H;	(Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec.			X		No elevator in building.
PR-H.	A.7.16.1)					

EL-2 Retainer Plate. HR- not required; LS-H; PR- H.	A retainer plate is present at the top and bottom of both car and counterweight. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.2)		X	No elevator in building.
EL-3 Elevator Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment, piping, and other components that are part of the elevator system are anchored. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.3)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-4 Seismic Switch. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevators capable of operating at speeds of 150 ft/min or faster are equipped with seismic switches that meet the requirements of ASME A17.1 or have trigger levels set to 20% of the acceleration of gravity at the base of the structure and 50% of the acceleration of gravity in other locations. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.4)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-5 Shaft Walls. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevator shaft walls are anchored and reinforced to prevent toppling into the shaft during strong shaking. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.5)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-6 Counterweight Rails. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	All counterweight rails and divider beams are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.6)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-7 Brackets. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The brackets that tie the car rails and the counterweight rail to the structure are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.7)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-8 Spreader Bracket. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Spreader brackets are not used to resist seismic forces. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.8)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-9 Go-Slow Elevators. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.			X	Not required for life safety performance level.

1. Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Main Building

1.1 Building Description

Building Name: Main Building

Facility Name: Naches Valley High School

District Name: Naches Valley

ICOS Latitude: 46.736
ICOS Longitude: -120.703

ICOS

County/District ID:

39003

ICOS Building ID: 17680 ASCE 41 Bldg Type: RM1

Enrollment: 453

Gross Sq. Ft. : 47,500

Year Built: 1979

Number of Stories: 2

S_{XS BSE-2E:} 0.581

S_{X1 BSE-2E}: 0.352

ASCE 41 Level of

Seismicity: High

Site Class: D

V_{S30}(m/s): 343

Liquefaction

Potential: very low to low

Tsunami Risk: None Structural Drawings Available: Yes

Evaluating Firm: BergerABAM/WSP





Naches Valley High School is a complex of three buildings, the Gym (#1), the Main building (#2) and the Vocational-Technical Building (#3). The total square footage is 85,173 sf. The Main building (aka #2) is a two-story building housing classrooms, offices and administration. The exterior wall construction varies, with some walls wood stud + veneer and some walls reinforced masonry. The second floor and roof are wood frame construction. There is a large two-story space for the library with the opening in the second floor bounded by concrete beams supported by concrete columns. The site of the Main building (#2) is flat. The building was constructed in 1979 in accordance with the 1976 UBC code.

1.1.1 Building Use

The Main building (#2) is used to house classrooms, offices and administration. The school houses approximately 450 students. The central library space is a unique two-story space that is open to the floor above. The exterior concrete stair at the entrance is a cantilevered stair which appeared to be in excellent condition.

1.1.2 Structural System

Table 1.1-1. Structural System Description of Naches Valley High School

Structural System	Description					
	The roof framing consists of TJI wood joist framing with a plywood sheathed					
Structural Roof	diaphragm. Existing drawings indicate the roof diaphragm nailing plans and					
	schedule (Sheet S-19).					
	The floor framing consists of TJI wood joist framing with a plywood sheathed					
	diaphragm. Drawings indicated a blocked floor diaphragm and nailing schedule					
Structural Floor(s)	(Sheet S-19). The second floor framing is supported by concrete beams at the					
	edges of the open library space which also functions as the handrail for the					
	second floor.					
	The foundations consist of shallow continuous footings meeting frost depth					
Foundations	requirements. Stepped footings are provided as needed to account for the grade					
	change at the north entry.					
	The gravity system consists of a wood frame roof and floor supported by bearing					
Gravity System	walls (wood frame, reinforced masonry) and concrete beams/walls all supported					
	by shallow foundations.					
Lateral System	The lateral force resisting system consists of flexible plywood roof and floor					
Lateral System	diaphragms with reinforced shear walls (concrete and masonry).					

1.1.3 Structural System Visual Condition

Table 1.1-2. Structural System Condition Description of Naches Valley High School

Structural System	Description
Structural Roof	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Structural Floor(s)	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Foundations	Unknown
Gravity System	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Lateral System	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.

1.2 Seismic Evaluation Findings

1.2.1 Structural Seismic Deficiencies

The structural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation.

Table 1-3. Identified Structural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Main Building

Deficiency	Description
	Building is well detailed including diaphragm nailing plans, but continuous cross ties are not detailed which is
Cross Ties	not surprising due to the 1979 date of construction. Additional straps could be added as needed, additional
	investigation required.

1.2.2 Structural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building structural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the structural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown structural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Table 1-4. Identified Structural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Main Building

Unknown Item	Description
	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Very low to low
Liquefaction	liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by
	a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure.
Surface Fault	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine whether site is near locations of
Rupture	expected surface fault ruptures.

1.3.1 Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies

The nonstructural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation. Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-5. Identified Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Main Building

Deficiency	Description
LSS-1 Fire Suppression	No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on year of construction (1979) of the building, it is assumed that seismic bracing for fire suppression piping does not comply with NFPA 13. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, it is assumed the flexible couplings on the fire suppression piping do not comply with NFPA 13. Flexible coupling for fire suppression piping may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Some equipment in the mechanical rooms did not appear to be braced. Bracing required for equipment weighing more than 20 lb located 4 feet or more above the floor to mitigate seismic risk.

1.3.2 Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building nonstructural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the nonstructural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown nonstructural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-6. Identified Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Main Building

Unknown Item	Description						
LSS-3 Emergency Power. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Available record drawings do not have information on anchorage or bracing for emergency power equipment and could not verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, emergency power equipment is either nonexistent or noncompliant. Evaluation of emergency power equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling Clearance. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-MH.	No available record drawing information on sprinkler head clearance and unable to verify during site investigation. Further evaluation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
HM-2 Hazardous Material Storage. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Unknown whether the building has hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	It is unknown if there are shutoff valves for piping containing hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
HM-5 Flexible Couplings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Did not observe flexible couplings. Further investigation may be apprpopriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
LF-1 Independent Support. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-MH.	It appears the light fixtures are supported by the ceiling grid. Unknown what supports or bracing may be hidden in the ceiling space. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
M-2 Shelf Angles. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Details not provided in available structural drawings. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
	Pictures and drawings do not indicate any industrial storage racks or pallet racks greater than 12 ft high. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Drawings do not include details showing anchorage at tall narrow contents. Did not observe if the book shelves in the library were anchored to the walls. District to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.\n Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.						
CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Did not observe. District to confirm. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting or cabling to avoid falling hazards.						
	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Unclear if in-line equipment was braced as required. Bracing for heavy in-line equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
EL-1 Retainer Guards. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Details not available. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						
EL-2 Retainer Plate. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Details not available. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.						



Figure 1-1. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg Main Entry

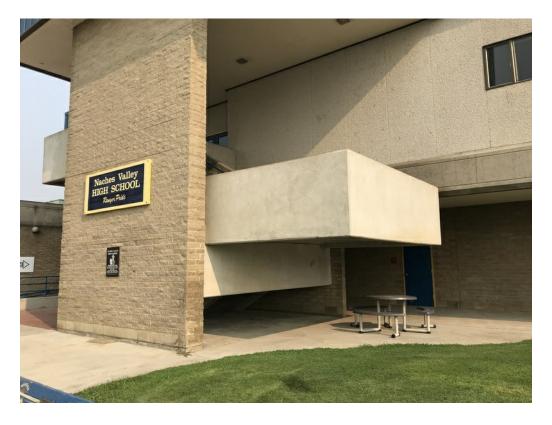


Figure 1-2. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg exterior entry stair



Figure 1-3. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg SE corner



Figure 1-4. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg North wall



Figure 1-5. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg Entry

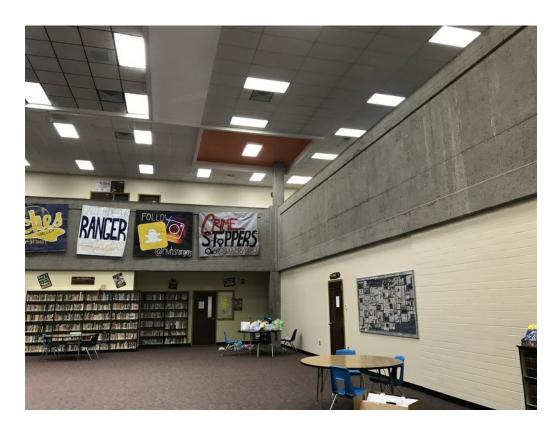


Figure 1-6. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg two-story library space



Figure 1-7. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg - new door opening exposes wall construction



Figure 1-8. Naches Valley HS Classroom Bldg hallway (cmu construction)

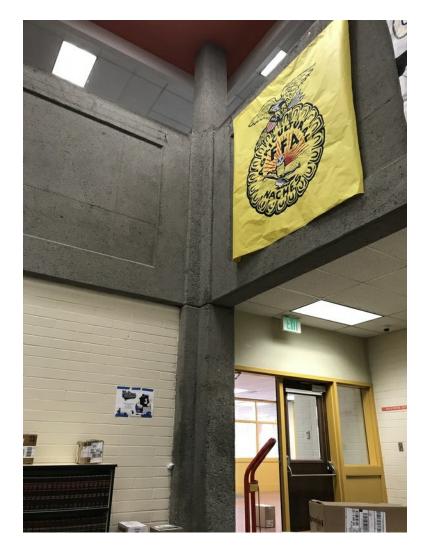


Figure 1-9. Two story construction - concrete beam supported on concrete column

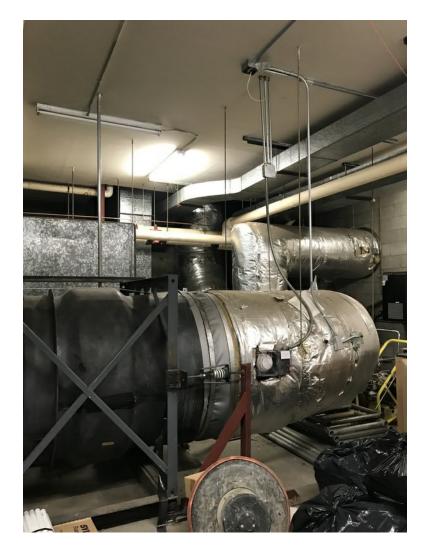


Figure 1-10. Classroom building mechanical space

Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Main Building 17-2 Collapse Prevention Basic Configuration Checklist

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low Seismicity

Building System - General

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Load Path	The structure contains a complete, well-defined load path, including structural elements and connections, that serves to transfer the inertial forces associated with the mass of all elements of the building to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.10)	X				The existing structural drawings indicate well designed and detailed connections between the structural elements.
Adjacent Buildings	The clear distance between the building being evaluated and any adjacent building is greater than 0.25% of the height of the shorter building in low seismicity, 0.5% in moderate seismicity, and 1.5% in high seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.2)			X		No seismic joint at intersection with adjacent gym constructed with precast panels. Main building masonry walls are doweled into the intersecting gym precast walls with #4 x 24-inch threaded rod and expansion bolt insert per detail 8/S5.
Mezzanines	Interior mezzanine levels are braced independently from the main structure or are anchored to the seismic-force-resisting elements of the main structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.3)			X		No interior mezzanines.

Building System - Building Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Weak Story	The sum of the shear strengths of the seismic- force-resisting system in any story in each direction is not less than 80% of the strength in the adjacent story above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.2)	X				No weak story identified.
Soft Story	The stiffness of the seismic-force-resisting system in any story is not less than 70% of the seismic-force-resisting system stiffness in an adjacent story above or less than 80% of the average seismic-force-resisting system stiffness of the three stories above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.3)	X				No soft story identified.

Vertical Irregularities	All vertical elements in the seismic-forceresisting system are continuous to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.4)	X		The vertical elements are either continuous to the foundation or they are onestory at the first level.
Geometry	There are no changes in the net horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system of more than 30% in a story relative to adjacent stories, excluding one-story penthouses and mezzanines. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.4; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.5)	X		The existing drawings show this to be a very well designed and detailed structure. The two-story section of the building is close to square and the adjacent one-story sections are well detailed.
Mass	There is no change in effective mass of more than 50% from one story to the next. Light roofs, penthouses, and mezzanines need not be considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.5; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.6)	X		There is a two-story building section adjacent to a tall one-story section (they share the same roof elevation) but they are well detailed and connected.
Torsion	The estimated distance between the story center of mass and the story center of rigidity is less than 20% of the building width in either plan dimension. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.6; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.7)	X		The building has flexible diaphragms and a generous layout of shear walls so torsion should not be an issue.

Moderate Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low Seismicity)

Geologic Site Hazards

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Liquefaction	Liquefaction-susceptible, saturated, loose granular soils that could jeopardize the building's seismic performance do not exist in the foundation soils at depths within 50 ft (15.2 m) under the building. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.1)				X	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Very low to low liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	The building site is located away from potential earthquake-induced slope failures or rockfalls so that it is unaffected by such failures or is capable of accommodating any predicted movements without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.2)				X	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure.

					Requires further
Surface Fault Rupture	Surface fault rupture and surface displacement at the building site are not anticipated. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.3)				investigation by a licensed
					geotechnical engineer to
				Λ	determine whether site is
					near locations of expected
					surface fault ruptures.

$\textbf{High Seismicity} \ (\textbf{Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity})$

Foundation Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Overturning	The ratio of the least horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system at the foundation level to the building height (base/height) is greater than 0.6Sa. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.3; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.1)	X				Base/height > 3 which is much greater than 0.6Sa = 0.35.
Ties Between Foundation Elements	The foundation has ties adequate to resist seismic forces where footings, piles, and piers are not restrained by beams, slabs, or soils classified as Site Class A, B, or C. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.2)	X				Soil Site Class D and the footings are restrained by slabs.

17-34 Collapse Prevention Structural Checklist for Building Types RM1 and RM2

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low and Moderate Seismicity

Seismic-Force-Resisting System

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Redundancy	The number of lines of shear walls in each principal direction is greater than or equal to 2. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.1.1)	X				The flexible diaphragm will distribute the loads to the many shear walls on a tributary area basis.
Shear Stress Check	The shear stress in the reinforced masonry shear walls, calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.3, is less than 70 lb/in.2 (0.48 MPa). (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.4.1)	X				The ASCE Quick check of the shear stress in the reinforced masonry shear walls indicated compliance.
Reinforcing Steel	The total vertical and horizontal reinforcing steel ratio in reinforced masonry walls is greater than 0.002 of the wall with the minimum of 0.0007 in either of the two directions; the spacing of reinforcing steel is less than 48 in. (1220 mm), and all vertical bars extend to the top of the walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.4.2)	X				According to the structural drawings, the wall reinforcement complies.

Stiff Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Tonning Slah	Precast concrete diaphragm elements are interconnected by a continuous reinforced concrete topping slab. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.4.5.1)			X		No precast concrete diaphragm elements.

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Wall Anchorage	Exterior concrete or masonry walls that are dependent on the diaphragm for lateral support are anchored for out-of-plane forces at each diaphragm level with steel anchors, reinforcing dowels, or straps that are developed into the diaphragm. Connections have strength to resist the connection force calculated in the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.7. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.1)	X				Existing connection capacity unknown but the available drawings indicated a well-designed and detailed building. Further analysis of anchorage capacity suggested.

Wood Ledgers	The connection between the wall panels and the diaphragm does not induce cross-grain bending or tension in the wood ledgers. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.2)	X		Most details have ties. Warrants further study.
Transfer to Shear Walls	Diaphragms are connected for transfer of seismic forces to the shear walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.1)	X		Existing connection capacity unknown but the available drawings indicated a well-designed and detailed building.
Topping Slab to Walls or Frames	Reinforced concrete topping slabs that interconnect the precast concrete diaphragm elements are doweled for transfer of forces into the shear wall or frame elements. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.)		X	No precast concrete diaphragm elements.
Foundation Dowels	Wall reinforcement is doweled into the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.5.3.5)	X		The available drawings indicated a well-designed and detailed building with wall dowels into the foundations.
Girder-Column Connection	There is a positive connection using plates, connection hardware, or straps between the girder and the column support. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.4.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.4.1)	X		Exterior precast concrete beams are connected to concrete columns with #11 dowels grouted into the columns (detail 1/S6). Interior precast concrete beams (at library space) are slotted into the supporting columns (Detail 8 & 9/S23). Precast concrete beams supported on masonry walls are fastened with dowels. These details bear further study because they may not meet code requirements even though they are well detailed.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Stiff Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Openings at Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to the shear walls are less than 25% of the wall length. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.4)	X				With the exception of stairs and elevators, the only diaphragm opening is the large two-story library space which is well tied into the diaphragm.

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	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to			diaphragm opening is the
Openings at Exterior	exterior masonry shear walls are not greater than	X		large two-story library space
Masonry Shear Walls	8 ft (2.4 m) long. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3;	Λ		which is well tied into the
	Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.6)			diaphragm and is not
				adjacent to exterior shear
				walls.

Flexible Diaphragms

Flexible Diaphragms		1				
EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Cross Ties	There are continuous cross ties between diaphragm chords. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.2)		X			Building is well detailed including diaphragm nailing plans, but continuous cross ties are not detailed which is not surprising due to the 1979 date of construction. Additional straps could be added as needed, additional investigation required.
Openings at Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to the shear walls are less than 25% of the wall length. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.4)	X				With the exception of stairs and elevators, the only diaphragm opening is the large two-story library space which is well tied into the diaphragm.
Openings at Exterior Masonry Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to exterior masonry shear walls are not greater than 8 ft (2.4 m) long. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.6)	X				With the exception of stairs and elevators, the only diaphragm opening is the large two-story library space which is well tied into the diaphragm and is not adjacent to exterior shear walls.
Straight Sheathing	All straight-sheathed diaphragms have aspect ratios less than 2-to-1 in the direction being considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.1)			X		No straight sheathed diaphragms.
Spans	All wood diaphragms with spans greater than 24 ft (7.3 m) consist of wood structural panels or diagonal sheathing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.2)	X				Wood unblocked diaphragms comply.
Diagonally Sheathed and Unblocked Diaphragms	All diagonally sheathed or unblocked wood structural panel diaphragms have horizontal spans less than 40 ft (12.2 m) and aspect ratios less than or equal to 4 to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.3)	X				Roof diaphragm nailing plan and schedule provided on the structural drawings. Roof diaphragm is unblocked, but aspect ratios are less than 4:1. Floor framing diaphragm is blocked.

Other Diaphragms	Diaphragms do not consist of a system other than wood, metal deck, concrete, or horizontal bracing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.4.7.1)	X				Wood frame roof and floor diaphragms.
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Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Stiffness of Wall Anchors	Anchors of concrete or masonry walls to wood structural elements are installed taut and are stiff enough to limit the relative movement between the wall and the diaphragm to no greater than 1/8 in. (3 mm) before engagement of the anchors. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.4)	X				Structural drawings indicate construction is well detailed, anchorage is assumed compliant.

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Notes:

C = Compliant, NC = Noncompliant, N/A = Not Applicable, and U = Unknown.

Performance Level: HR = Hazards Reduced, LS = Life Safety, and PR = Position Retention.

Level of Seismicity: L = Low, M = Moderate, and H = High

Life Safety Systems

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LSS-1 Fire Suppression Piping. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	11 11 5		X			No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on year of construction (1979) of the building, it is assumed that seismic bracing for fire suppression piping does not comply with NFPA 13. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Fire suppression piping has flexible couplings in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)		X			No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, it is assumed the flexible couplings on the fire suppression piping do not comply with NFPA 13. Flexible coupling for fire suppression piping may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

LSS-3 Emergency Power. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Equipment used to power or control Life Safety systems is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.1)			X	Available record drawings do not have information on anchorage or bracing for emergency power equipment and could not verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, emergency power equipment is either nonexistent or noncompliant. Evaluation of emergency power equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-4 Stair and Smoke Ducts. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Stair pressurization and smoke control ducts are braced and have flexible connections at seismic joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.1)		X		No enclosed stairs.
LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling Clearance. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Penetrations through panelized ceilings for fire suppression devices provide clearances in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	No available record drawing information on sprinkler head clearance and unable to verify during site investigation. Further evaluation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-6 Emergency Lighting. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-LMH	Emergency and egress lighting equipment is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.1)		X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Hazardous Materials

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
HM-1 Hazardous Material Equipment. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators and containing hazardous material is equipped with restraints or snubbers. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.2)			X		Did not observe equipment containing hazardous materials mounted on vibration isolators. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-2 Hazardous Material Storage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Breakable containers that hold hazardous material, including gas cylinders, are restrained by latched doors, shelf lips, wires, or other methods. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.3; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.1)				X	Unknown whether the building has hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

HM-3 Hazardous Material Distribution. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials is braced or otherwise protected from damage that would allow hazardous material release. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)		X		Did not observe any piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials.
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping containing hazardous material, including natural gas, has shutoff valves or other devices to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	It is unknown if there are shutoff valves for piping containing hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-5 Flexible Couplings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Hazardous material ductwork and piping, including natural gas piping, have flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.4)			X	Did not observe flexible couplings. Further investigation may be apprpopriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-6 Piping or Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork carrying hazardous material that either crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5, 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)		X		Building has no seismic joints.

Partitions

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
P-1 Unreinforced Masonry. HR-LMH; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Unreinforced masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are braced at a spacing of at most 10 ft (3.0 m) in Low or Moderate Seismicity, or at most 6 ft (1.8 m) in High Seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.1)			X		There are no URM partitions in the building.
P-2 Heavy Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	The tops of masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)	X				Did not observe, but drawings indicate masonry partitions are reinforced and braced. (Diagonal bracing provided at 12 ft on center max per detail 6/S7, existing drawings)
P-3 Drift. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Rigid cementitious partitions are detailed to accommodate the following drift ratios: in steel moment frame, concrete moment frame, and wood frame buildings, 0.02; in other buildings, 0.005. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.2)			X		There were no rigid cementitious partitions observed in building.
P-4 Light Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of gypsum board partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

P-5 Structural Separations. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Partitions that cross structural separations have seismic or control joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.3)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
P-6 Tops. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of ceiling-high framed or panelized partitions have lateral bracing to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.4)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Ceilings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
C-1 Suspended Lath and Plaster. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended lath and plaster ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		No suspended lath and plaster ceilings observed.
C-2 Suspended Gypsum Board. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended gypsum board ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		There are no suspended gypsum board ceilings.
C-3 Integrated Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) and ceilings of smaller areas that are not surrounded by restraining partitions are laterally restrained at a spacing no greater than 12 ft (3.6 m) with members attached to the structure above. Each restraint location has a minimum of four diagonal wires and compression struts, or diagonal members capable of resisting compression. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-4 Edge Clearance. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) have clearances from the enclosing wall or partition of at least the following: in Moderate Seismicity, 1/2 in. (13 mm); in High Seismicity, 3/4 in. (19 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-5 Continuity Across Structure Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The ceiling system does not cross any seismic joint and is not attached to multiple independent structures. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.5)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-6 Edge Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) are supported by closure angles or channels not less than 2 in. (51 mm) wide. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.6)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

	Acoustical tile or lay-in panel ceilings have				
C-7 Seismic Joints. HR-	seismic separation joints such that each				
not required; LS-not	continuous portion of the ceiling is no more than			X	Not required for life safety
required; PR-H.	2,500 ft2 (232.3 m2) and has a ratio of long-to-			Λ	performance level.
required, 1 K-11.	short dimension no more than 4-to-1. (Tier 2:				
	Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.7)				

Light Fixtures

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LF-1 Independent Support. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Light fixtures that weigh more per square foot than the ceiling they penetrate are supported independent of the grid ceiling suspension system by a minimum of two wires at diagonally opposite corners of each fixture. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4, 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.2)				X	It appears the light fixtures are supported by the ceiling grid. Unknown what supports or bracing may be hidden in the ceiling space. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LF-2 Pendant Supports. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Light fixtures on pendant supports are attached at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft. Unbraced suspended fixtures are free to allow a 360-degree range of motion at an angle not less than 45 degrees from horizontal without contacting adjacent components. Alternatively, if rigidly supported and/or braced, they are free to move with the structure to which they are attached without damaging adjoining components. Additionally, the connection to the structure is capable of accommodating the movement without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.3)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
LF-3 Lens Covers. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Lens covers on light fixtures are attached with safety devices. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.4)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Cladding and Glazing

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CG-1 Cladding Anchors. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding components weighing more than 10 lb/ft2 (0.48 kN/m2) are mechanically anchored to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 ft (1.2 m) (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.1)			X		The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

CG-2 Cladding Isolation. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	For steel or concrete moment-frame buildings, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.3)	X	The building is not a steel or concrete moment frame building.
CG-3 Multi-Story Panels. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For multi-story panels attached at more than one floor level, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.4)	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-4 Threaded Rods. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Threaded rods for panel connections detailed to accommodate drift by bending of the rod have a length-to-diameter ratio greater than 0.06 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity and 0.12 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in High Seismicity and Position Retention in any seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.9)	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-5 Panel Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding panels are anchored out of plane with a minimum number of connections for each wall panel, as follows: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 2 connections; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.5)	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-6 Bearing Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where bearing connections are used, there is a minimum of two bearing connections for each cladding panel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.6)	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-7 Inserts. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where concrete cladding components use inserts, the inserts have positive anchorage or are anchored to reinforcing steel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.7)	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

	Glazing panes of any size in curtain walls and			
	individual interior or exterior panes more than			
CG-8 Overhead Glazing.	16 ft2 (1.5 m2) in area are laminated annealed			The building does not have
HR-not required; LS-	or laminated heat-strengthened glass and are		X	glazing panes/curtain
MH; PR-MH.	detailed to remain in the frame when cracked.			walls.
	(Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.5; Commentary: Sec.			
	A.7.4.8)			

Masonry Veneer

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
M-1 Ties. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry veneer is connected to the backup with corrosion-resistant ties. There is a minimum of one tie for every 2-2/3 ft2 (0.25 m2), and the ties have spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 36 in. (914 mm); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 24 in. (610 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.1)	X				Details provided in available structural drawings.
M-2 Shelf Angles. HR- not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is supported by shelf angles or other elements at each floor above the ground floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.2)				X	Details not provided in available structural drawings. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
M-3 Weakened Planes. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is anchored to the backup adjacent to weakened planes, such as at the locations of flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.3)			X		Compliance expected because well detailed veneer anchorage details are provided in available structural drawings.
M-4 Unreinforced Masonry Backup. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	There is no unreinforced masonry backup. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.2)	X				Veneer backup is reinforced masonry or stud walls.
M-5 Stud Tracks. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with coldformed steel stud backup, stud tracks are fastened to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 24 in. (610 mm) on center. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.)			X		There is no cold formed steel stud backup for the masonry veneer.
M-6 Anchorage. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with concrete block or masonry backup, the backup is positively anchored to the structure at a horizontal spacing equal to or less than 4 ft along the floors and roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.1)	X				Details provided in available structural drawings.
M-7 Weep Holes. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	In veneer anchored to stud walls, the veneer has functioning weep holes and base flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.6)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

M-8 Openings. HR-not	For veneer with cold-formed-steel stud backup,				
required; LS-not	steel studs frame window and door openings.		v		Not required for Life
required; PR-MH.	(Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary:		Λ	L	Safety Performance Level
required, r K-Wiff.	Sec. A.7.6.2)				

Parapets, Cornices, Ornamentation, and Appendages

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
PCOA-1 URM Parapets or Cornices. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Laterally unsupported unreinforced masonry parapets or cornices have height-tothickness ratios no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 2.5; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 1.5. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.1)			X		No URM parapets or cornices.
PCOA-2 Canopies. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Canopies at building exits are anchored to the structure at a spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 10 ft (3.0 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.2)	X				Existing drawings indicate framing above entries are well fastened to structure.
PCOA-3 Concrete Parapets. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Concrete parapets with height-to-thickness ratios greater than 2.5 have vertical reinforcement. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.3)	X				Drawings indicate concrete parapet is reinforced. Dimensions not provided, but h/t does not appear to exceed 2.5.
PCOA-4 Appendages. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- LMH.	Cornices, parapets, signs, and other ornamentation or appendages that extend above the highest point of anchorage to the structure or cantilever from components are reinforced and anchored to the structural system at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). This evaluation statement item does not apply to parapets or cornices covered by other evaluation statements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.4)			X		No appendages.

Masonry Chimneys

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
MC-1 URM Chimneys. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Unreinforced masonry chimneys extend above the roof surface no more than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 3 times the least dimension of the chimney; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 2 times the least dimension of the chimney. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.1)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.
MC-2 Anchorage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry chimneys are anchored at each floor level, at the topmost ceiling level, and at the roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.2)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.

Stairs

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
S-1 Stair Enclosures. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Hollow-clay tile or unreinforced masonry walls around stair enclosures are restrained out of plane and have height-to-thickness ratios not greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 15-to-1; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 12-to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2, 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.1)			X		Interior stairs are bounded by reinforced masonry walls. Exterior stair at main entry is bounded by reinforced concrete walls.
S-2 Stair Details. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	The connection between the stairs and the structure does not rely on post-installed anchors in concrete or masonry, and the stair details are capable of accommodating the drift calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.1 for moment-frame structures or 0.5 in. for all other structures without including any lateral stiffness contribution from the stairs. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.2)	X				The interior stairs are detailed with dowels to the supporting masonry walls. The exterior concrete stair is detailed with dowels to the supporting concrete walls.

Contents and Furnishings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks. HR-LMH; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Industrial storage racks or pallet racks more than 12 ft high meet the requirements of ANSI/RMI MH 16.1 as modified by ASCE 7, Chapter 15. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.1)				X	Pictures and drawings do not indicate any industrial storage racks or pallet racks greater than 12 ft high. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Contents more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 are anchored to the structure or to each other. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.2)				X	Drawings do not include details showing anchorage at tall narrow contents. Did not observe if the book shelves in the library were anchored to the walls. District to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.

CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment, stored items, or other contents weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level are braced or otherwise restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.3)			X	Did not observe. District to confirm. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting or cabling to avoid falling hazards.
CF-4 Access Floors. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Access floors more than 9 in. (229 mm) high are braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.4)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-5 Equipment on Access Floors. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Equipment and other contents supported by access floor systems are anchored or braced to the structure independent of the access floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.5)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-6 Suspended Contents. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Items suspended without lateral bracing are free to swing from or move with the structure from which they are suspended without damaging themselves or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.6)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Mechanical and Electrical Equipment

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level, and which is not in-line equipment, is braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.4)		X			Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Some equipment in the mechanical rooms did not appear to be braced. Bracing required for equipment weighing more than 20 lb located 4 feet or more above the floor to mitigate seismic risk.
ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment installed in line with a duct or piping system, with an operating weight more than 75 lb (34.0 kg), is supported and laterally braced independent of the duct or piping system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.5)				X	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Unclear if inline equipment was braced as required. Bracing for heavy in-line equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

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ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Equipment more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 is anchored to the floor slab or adjacent structural walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.6)	X		Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Did not observe that any of the equipment falls into this category, district to confirm. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
ME-4 Mechanical Doors. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	1		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-5 Suspended Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment suspended without lateral bracing is free to swing from or move with the structure from which it is suspended without damaging itself or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.8)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-6 Vibration Isolators. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators is equipped with horizontal restraints or snubbers and with vertical restraints to resist overturning. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.9)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-7 Heavy Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Floor supported or platform-supported equipment weighing more than 400 lb (181.4 kg) is anchored to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.10)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-8 Electrical Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Electrical equipment is laterally braced to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.11)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-9 Conduit Couplings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Conduit greater than 2.5 in. (64 mm) trade size that is attached to panels, cabinets, or other equipment and is subject to relative seismic displacement has flexible couplings or connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.12)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.

Piping

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
	Fluid and gas piping has flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-2 Fluid and Gas Piping. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Fluid and gas piping is anchored and braced to the structure to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

PP-3 C-Clamps. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	One-sided C-clamps that support piping larger than 2.5 in. (64 mm) in diameter are restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.5)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
PP-4 Piping Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Piping that crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.

Ducts

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
D-1 Duct Bracing. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Rectangular ductwork larger than 6 ft2 (0.56 m2) in cross-sectional area and round ducts larger than 28 in. (711 mm) in diameter are braced. The maximum spacing of transverse bracing does not exceed 30 ft (9.2 m). The maximum spacing of longitudinal bracing does not exceed 60 ft (18.3 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.2)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-2 Duct Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts are not supported by piping or electrical conduit. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.3)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-3 Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts that cross seismic joints or isolation planes or are connected to independent structures have couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Elevators

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
EL-1 Retainer Guards. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Sheaves and drums have cable retainer guards. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.1)				X	Details not available. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
	A retainer plate is present at the top and bottom of both car and counterweight. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.2)				X	Details not available. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
EL-3 Elevator Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment, piping, and other components that are part of the elevator system are anchored. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.3)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

EL-4 Seismic Switch. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevators capable of operating at speeds of 150 ft/min or faster are equipped with seismic switches that meet the requirements of ASME A17.1 or have trigger levels set to 20% of the acceleration of gravity at the base of the structure and 50% of the acceleration of gravity in other locations. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.4)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-5 Shaft Walls. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevator shaft walls are anchored and reinforced to prevent toppling into the shaft during strong shaking. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.5)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-6 Counterweight Rails. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	All counterweight rails and divider beams are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.6)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-7 Brackets. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The brackets that tie the car rails and the counterweight rail to the structure are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.7)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-8 Spreader Bracket. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Spreader brackets are not used to resist seismic forces. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.8)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-9 Go-Slow Elevators. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.			X	Not required for life safety performance level.

1. Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Vocational Building

1.1 Building Description

Building Name: Vocational Building

Facility Name: Naches Valley High School

1979

District Name: Naches Valley

ICOS Latitude: 46.736 ICOS Longitude: -120.703

ICOS

Year Built:

County/District ID: 39003

ICOS Building ID: 15151
ASCE 41 Bldg Type: RM1
Enrollment: 453
Gross Sq. Ft.: 17,200

Number of Stories: 2

S_{XS BSE-2E}: 0.581

S_{X1 BSE-2E}: 0.352

ASCE 41 Level of

Seismicity: High

Site Class: D

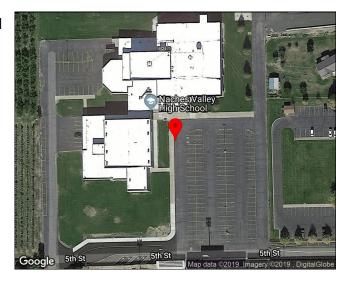
V_{S30}(m/s): 343

Liquefaction

Potential: very low to low

Tsunami Risk: None Structural Drawings Available: Yes

Evaluating Firm: BergerABAM/WSP





Naches Valley High School is a complex of three buildings, the Gym (#1), the Main Building (#2) and the Vocational-Technical Building (#3). The total square footage is 85,173 sf. The building was constructed in 1979 in accordance with the 1976 UBC code.

The Naches Valley High School Vocational Building (#3) is one-story with a mezzanine space accessed by an interior stair. The building is constructed on a relatively flat site and is irregular in plan. Building wall construction consists of wood stud walls with brick veneer and reinforced masonry walls. Roof framing is open web wood joists (TJL at 2 ft on center) and plywood sheathing. The mezzanine is wood frame construction. There are interior 8" cmu bearing walls.

Naches Valley school buildings were uniformly in excellent condition and extremely well maintained and cared for. Structural drawings were available on site. Because the building was constructed in 1979 in



accordance with the 1976 UBC code, there are likely deficiencies in the lateral force resisting system although existing drawing details indicated strapping attaching the floor and roof diaphragm directly to the walls and avoiding cross grain bending in ledgers. Cross ties do not appeared to be detailed for the diaphragms fastened to masonry walls in the structural drawings.

The vocational arts building was in excellent shape. The floor plan is irregular but the flexible roof diaphragm is an excellent system to distribute seismic forces to the shear walls and no issues are expected. Overhead ductwork did not appear to have bracing.

1.1.1 Building Use

The vocational building houses the wood shop, home economics and agriculture classes. Class materials are stored in the mezzanine space. The wood shop and industrial arts spaces are high bay. The main classrooms have wood stud shear walls (with masonry veneer) while the high bay shop spaces have masonry shear walls and partitions.

1.1.2 Structural System

Table 1.1-1. Structural System Description of Naches Valley High School

Structural System	Description				
Structural Roof	The roof framing consists of wood frame open web trusses with plywood roof				
Su ucturar Roor	sheathing supported on interior and exterior bearing walls.				
	The main floor is slab on grade.				
	The mezzanine floor runs the length of the high bay space either side of the high				
Structural Floor(s)	bay center wall and serves as classroom material storage. The mezzanine wood				
Structural Floor(8)	floor joists are 2x10 with plywood sheathing. The mezzanine floor is supported				
	on the center wall and bearing walls near the long edge with a short cantilever				
	and handrail that overlooks the floor below.				
Foundations	The foundations consist of shallow continuous footings meeting frost depth				
roundations	requirements. There are stepped footings.				
Gravity Systam	The gravity system consists of roof trusses, mezzanine floor joists and bearing				
Gravity System	walls (wood stud, masonry) supported on shallow foundations.				
Lateral System	The lateral force resisting system consists of plywood roof and mezzanine floor				
Lateral System	diaphragm with wood frame (plywood sheathed) and masonry shear walls.				

1.1.3 Structural System Visual Condition

Table 1.1-2. Structural System Condition Description of Naches Valley High School

Structural System	Description
Structural Roof	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Structural Floor(s)	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Foundations	Unknown
Gravity System	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Lateral System	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.

1.2 Seismic Evaluation Findings

1.2.1 Structural Seismic Deficiencies

The structural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation.

Table 1-3. Identified Structural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Vocational Building

Deficiency	Description
Cross Ties	Building is well detailed including diaphragm nailing plans, but continuous cross ties are not detailed which is not surprising due to the 1979 date of construction. Additional blocking, strapping and fastening to diaphragm are likely required.

1.2.2 Structural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building structural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the structural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown structural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Table 1-4. Identified Structural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Vocational Building

Unknown Item	Description
	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Very low to low
Liquefaction	liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by
	a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
C1 F 1	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure.
Slope Failure	The structure appears to be located on a relatively flat site.
Surface Fault	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine whether site is near locations of
Rupture	expected surface fault ruptures.

1.3.1 Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies

The nonstructural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation. Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-5. Identified Nonstructu	ral Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Vocational Building
Deficiency	Description

The Tier 1 nonstructural seismic evaluation performed for this school building could not confirm nonstructural seismic deficiencies due to limited access for visual observation and/or lack of existing drawings available for review. Please refer to the next page of this report for the list of nonstructural items marked as "unknown" and commentary indicating the need for further investigation or the likelihood of compliance or non-compliance based on the age of construction.

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Table 1-6. Identified Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley High School Vocational Building

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	required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	connection between the stairs and structure is assumed compliant.
HR-LMH; LS-MH; PR-MH. (including Appendix) for bracing guidance.	CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks.	The shop areas have racks that may not comply. District to confirm. See Report documents
	HR-LMH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	(including Appendix) for bracing guidance.

Unknown Item	Description
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	There are quite a few shelves that may not be anchored to the structure. District to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	The shop contained equipment that probably does not comply. The mezzanine space contained shop project supplies (wood, leather, etc.) which should be properly restrained. There were also overhead ducts and hoods and other equipment that would fall in this category. The district should investigate. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting or cabling to avoid becoming falling hazards.
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment.	The shop contained equipment that probably does not comply. District to confirm. See report
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	documents (including Appendix) for bracing guidance.
ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	District to confirm.
ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	There is heavy equipment in the shop that may need additional support or restraint. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.



Figure 1-1. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech Bldg



Figure 1-2. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech Bldg



Figure 1-3. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech Bldg

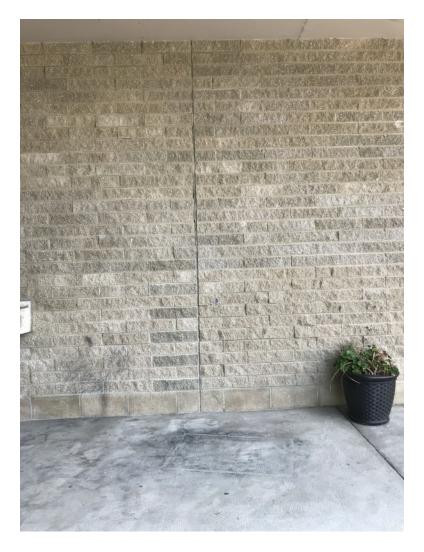


Figure 1-4. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech cmu control joint



Figure 1-5. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech shop



Figure 1-6. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech shop



Figure 1-7. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech mezzanine



Figure 1-8. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech joint cmu to brick



Figure 1-9. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech mezzanine



Figure 1-10. Naches Valley HS Voc Tech roof & suspended mechanical

Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Vocational Building 17-2 Collapse Prevention Basic Configuration Checklist

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low Seismicity

Building System - General

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Load Path	The structure contains a complete, well-defined load path, including structural elements and connections, that serves to transfer the inertial forces associated with the mass of all elements of the building to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.10)	X				The existing structural drawings indicate well designed and detailed connections between the structural elements.
Adjacent Buildings	The clear distance between the building being evaluated and any adjacent building is greater than 0.25% of the height of the shorter building in low seismicity, 0.5% in moderate seismicity, and 1.5% in high seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.2)			X		No adjacent buildings nearby.
Mezzanines	Interior mezzanine levels are braced independently from the main structure or are anchored to the seismic-force-resisting elements of the main structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.3)	X				The existing structural drawings indicate well designed and detailed connections between the mezzanine and the main structure.

Building System - Building Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Weak Story	The sum of the shear strengths of the seismic- force-resisting system in any story in each direction is not less than 80% of the strength in the adjacent story above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.2)			X		One-story building (with mezzanine).
Soft Story	The stiffness of the seismic-force-resisting system in any story is not less than 70% of the seismic-force-resisting system stiffness in an adjacent story above or less than 80% of the average seismic-force-resisting system stiffness of the three stories above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.3)			X		One-story building (with mezzanine).
Vertical Irregularities	All vertical elements in the seismic-forceresisting system are continuous to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.4)	X				One-story building (with mezzanine).

Geometry	There are no changes in the net horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system of more than 30% in a story relative to adjacent stories, excluding one-story penthouses and mezzanines. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.4; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.5)		X	One-story building (with mezzanine).
Mass	There is no change in effective mass of more than 50% from one story to the next. Light roofs, penthouses, and mezzanines need not be considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.5; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.6)		X	One-story building (with mezzanine).
Torsion	The estimated distance between the story center of mass and the story center of rigidity is less than 20% of the building width in either plan dimension. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.6; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.7)	X		The building has flexible diaphragms and a generous layout of shear walls so torsion should not be an issue.

Moderate Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low Seismicity)

Geologic Site Hazards

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Liquefaction	Liquefaction-susceptible, saturated, loose granular soils that could jeopardize the building's seismic performance do not exist in the foundation soils at depths within 50 ft (15.2 m) under the building. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.1)				X	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Very low to low liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	The building site is located away from potential earthquake-induced slope failures or rockfalls so that it is unaffected by such failures or is capable of accommodating any predicted movements without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.2)				X	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure. The structure appears to be located on a relatively flat site.
Surface Fault Rupture	Surface fault rupture and surface displacement at the building site are not anticipated. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.3)				X	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine whether site is near locations of expected surface fault ruptures.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Foundation Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Overturning	The ratio of the least horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system at the foundation level to the building height (base/height) is greater than 0.6Sa. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.3; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.1)	X				Base/height > 3 which is much greater than 0.6Sa = 0.35.
Ties Between Foundation Elements	The foundation has ties adequate to resist seismic forces where footings, piles, and piers are not restrained by beams, slabs, or soils classified as Site Class A, B, or C. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.2)	X				Soil Site Class D and the footings are restrained by slabs.

17-34 Collapse Prevention Structural Checklist for Building Types RM1 and RM2

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low and Moderate Seismicity

Seismic-Force-Resisting System

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Redundancy	The number of lines of shear walls in each principal direction is greater than or equal to 2. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.1.1)	X				The flexible diaphragm will distribute the loads to the many shear walls on a tributary area basis.
Shear Stress Check	The shear stress in the reinforced masonry shear walls, calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.3, is less than 70 lb/in.2 (0.48 MPa). (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.4.1)	X				The ASCE Quick check of the shear stress in the reinforced masonry shear walls indicated compliance.
Reinforcing Steel	The total vertical and horizontal reinforcing steel ratio in reinforced masonry walls is greater than 0.002 of the wall with the minimum of 0.0007 in either of the two directions; the spacing of reinforcing steel is less than 48 in. (1220 mm), and all vertical bars extend to the top of the walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.4.2)	X				According to the structural drawings, the wall reinforcement complies.

Stiff Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Tonning Slah	Precast concrete diaphragm elements are interconnected by a continuous reinforced concrete topping slab. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.4.5.1)			X		No precast concrete diaphragm elements.

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Wall Anchorage	Exterior concrete or masonry walls that are dependent on the diaphragm for lateral support are anchored for out-of-plane forces at each diaphragm level with steel anchors, reinforcing dowels, or straps that are developed into the diaphragm. Connections have strength to resist the connection force calculated in the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.7. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.1)	X				Details indicate anchorage at wood roof to cmu walls (Simpson PAM25 purlin anchor at 8 ft on center). These appear to have the required capacity.

Wood Ledgers	The connection between the wall panels and the diaphragm does not induce cross-grain bending or tension in the wood ledgers. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.2)	X		Details should be verified.
Transfer to Shear Walls	Diaphragms are connected for transfer of seismic forces to the shear walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.1)	X		Most details have ties. Warrants further study.
Topping Slab to Walls or Frames	Reinforced concrete topping slabs that interconnect the precast concrete diaphragm elements are doweled for transfer of forces into the shear wall or frame elements. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.)		X	No precast concrete diaphragm elements.
Foundation Dowels	Wall reinforcement is doweled into the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.5.3.5)	X		The available drawings indicated a well-designed and detailed building with wall dowels into the foundations.
Girder-Column Connection	There is a positive connection using plates, connection hardware, or straps between the girder and the column support. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.4.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.4.1)	X		Simpson beam seats provided where beams are supported by columns or masonry walls.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Stiff Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Openings at Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to the shear walls are less than 25% of the wall length. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.4)			X		No diaphragms openings.
	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to exterior masonry shear walls are not greater than 8 ft (2.4 m) long. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.6)			X		No diaphragms openings.

Flexible Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Cross Ties	There are continuous cross ties between diaphragm chords. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.2)		X			Building is well detailed including diaphragm nailing plans, but continuous cross ties are not detailed which is not surprising due to the 1979 date of construction. Additional blocking, strapping and fastening to diaphragm are likely required.
Openings at Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to the shear walls are less than 25% of the wall length. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.4)			X		No diaphragms openings.

Openings at Exterior Masonry Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to exterior masonry shear walls are not greater than 8 ft (2.4 m) long. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.6)		X	No diaphragms openings.
Straight Sheathing	All straight-sheathed diaphragms have aspect ratios less than 2-to-1 in the direction being considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.1)		X	No straight sheathed diaphragms.
Spans	All wood diaphragms with spans greater than 24 ft (7.3 m) consist of wood structural panels or diagonal sheathing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.2)	X		Wood diaphragms consist of wood structural panels.
Diagonally Sheathed and Unblocked Diaphragms	All diagonally sheathed or unblocked wood structural panel diaphragms have horizontal spans less than 40 ft (12.2 m) and aspect ratios less than or equal to 4 to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.3)	X		Roof diaphragm nailing plan and schedule provided on the structural drawings (Sheet S-19). Roof diaphragm is unblocked, but aspect ratios are less than 4:1.
Other Diaphragms	Diaphragms do not consist of a system other than wood, metal deck, concrete, or horizontal bracing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.4.7.1)	X		Wood frame roof diaphragm.

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
	Anchors of concrete or masonry walls to wood structural elements are installed taut and are stiff enough to limit the relative movement between the wall and the diaphragm to no greater than 1/8 in. (3 mm) before engagement of the anchors. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.4)					Structural drawings indicate construction is well detailed, anchorage is assumed compliant.

Naches Valley, Naches Valley High School, Vocational Building 17-38 Nonstructural Checklist

Notes:

C = Compliant, NC = Noncompliant, N/A = Not Applicable, and U = Unknown.

Performance Level: HR = Hazards Reduced, LS = Life Safety, and PR = Position Retention.

Level of Seismicity: L = Low, M = Moderate, and H = High

Life Safety Systems

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LSS-1 Fire Suppression Piping. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Fire suppression piping is anchored and braced in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.1)		X			No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on year of construction (1979) of the building, it is assumed that seismic bracing for fire suppression piping does not comply with NFPA 13. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Fire suppression piping has flexible couplings in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)		X			No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, it is assumed the flexible couplings on the fire suppression piping do not comply with NFPA 13. Flexible coupling for fire suppression piping may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

LSS-3 Emergency Power. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Equipment used to power or control Life Safety systems is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.1)			X	Available record drawings do not have information on anchorage or bracing for emergency power equipment and could not verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, emergency power equipment is either nonexistent or noncompliant. Evaluation of emergency power equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-4 Stair and Smoke Ducts. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Stair pressurization and smoke control ducts are braced and have flexible connections at seismic joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.1)		X		No enclosed stairs.
LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling Clearance. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Penetrations through panelized ceilings for fire suppression devices provide clearances in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	No panelized ceilings in the shop areas. Did not enter classrooms. Not detailed on drawings. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-6 Emergency Lighting. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-LMH	Emergency and egress lighting equipment is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.1)		X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Hazardous Materials

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
* *	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators and containing hazardous material is equipped with restraints or snubbers. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.2)			X		Did not observe equipment containing hazardous materials mounted on vibration isolators. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-2 Hazardous Material Storage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Breakable containers that hold hazardous material, including gas cylinders, are restrained by latched doors, shelf lips, wires, or other methods. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.3; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.1)				X	Unknown whether the building has hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

HM-3 Hazardous Material Distribution. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials is braced or otherwise protected from damage that would allow hazardous material release. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)		X		Did not observe any piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials.
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping containing hazardous material, including natural gas, has shutoff valves or other devices to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	It is unknown if there are shutoff valves for piping containing hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-5 Flexible Couplings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Hazardous material ductwork and piping, including natural gas piping, have flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.4)			X	Did not observe any hazardous material ductwork and piping. Further investigation may be apprpopriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-6 Piping or Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork carrying hazardous material that either crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5, 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)		X		Building has no seismic joints.

Partitions

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
P-1 Unreinforced Masonry. HR-LMH; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Unreinforced masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are braced at a spacing of at most 10 ft (3.0 m) in Low or Moderate Seismicity, or at most 6 ft (1.8 m) in High Seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.1)			X		There are no URM partitions in the building.
P-2 Heavy Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	The tops of masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)			X		Did not observe, but drawings indicate masonry partitions are reinforced and braced. (Diagonal bracing provided at 12 ft on center max per detail 6/S7 existing drawings)
P-3 Drift. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Rigid cementitious partitions are detailed to accommodate the following drift ratios: in steel moment frame, concrete moment frame, and wood frame buildings, 0.02; in other buildings, 0.005. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.2)			X		There were no rigid cementitious partitions observed in building.
P-4 Light Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of gypsum board partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

P-5 Structural Separations. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Partitions that cross structural separations have seismic or control joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.3)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
P-6 Tops. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of ceiling-high framed or panelized partitions have lateral bracing to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.4)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Ceilings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
C-1 Suspended Lath and Plaster. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended lath and plaster ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		No suspended lath and plaster ceilings observed.
C-2 Suspended Gypsum Board. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended gypsum board ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		There are no suspended gypsum board ceilings.
C-3 Integrated Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) and ceilings of smaller areas that are not surrounded by restraining partitions are laterally restrained at a spacing no greater than 12 ft (3.6 m) with members attached to the structure above. Each restraint location has a minimum of four diagonal wires and compression struts, or diagonal members capable of resisting compression. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-4 Edge Clearance. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) have clearances from the enclosing wall or partition of at least the following: in Moderate Seismicity, 1/2 in. (13 mm); in High Seismicity, 3/4 in. (19 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-5 Continuity Across Structure Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The ceiling system does not cross any seismic joint and is not attached to multiple independent structures. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.5)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
C-6 Edge Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) are supported by closure angles or channels not less than 2 in. (51 mm) wide. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.6)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

	Acoustical tile or lay-in panel ceilings have					
C-7 Seismic Joints. HR-	seismic separation joints such that each					
not required; LS-not	continuous portion of the ceiling is no more than			X		Not required for life safety
required; PR-H.	2,500 ft2 (232.3 m2) and has a ratio of long-to-			Λ	,	performance level.
required, 1 K-11.	short dimension no more than 4-to-1. (Tier 2:					
	Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.7)					

Light Fixtures

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LF-1 Independent Support. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Light fixtures that weigh more per square foot than the ceiling they penetrate are supported independent of the grid ceiling suspension system by a minimum of two wires at diagonally opposite corners of each fixture. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4, 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.2)				X	High bay spaces did not have a ceiling. Did not enter classrooms. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LF-2 Pendant Supports. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Light fixtures on pendant supports are attached at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft. Unbraced suspended fixtures are free to allow a 360-degree range of motion at an angle not less than 45 degrees from horizontal without contacting adjacent components. Alternatively, if rigidly supported and/or braced, they are free to move with the structure to which they are attached without damaging adjoining components. Additionally, the connection to the structure is capable of accommodating the movement without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.3)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
LF-3 Lens Covers. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Lens covers on light fixtures are attached with safety devices. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.4)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Cladding and Glazing

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CG-1 Cladding Anchors. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding components weighing more than 10 lb/ft2 (0.48 kN/m2) are mechanically anchored to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 ft (1.2 m) (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.1)			X		The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

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CG-2 Cladding Isolation. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	For steel or concrete moment-frame buildings, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.3)	>	ζ	The building is not a steel or concrete moment frame building.
CG-3 Multi-Story Panels. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For multi-story panels attached at more than one floor level, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.4)	>	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-4 Threaded Rods. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Threaded rods for panel connections detailed to accommodate drift by bending of the rod have a length-to-diameter ratio greater than 0.06 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity and 0.12 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in High Seismicity and Position Retention in any seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.9)	>	ζ.	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-5 Panel Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding panels are anchored out of plane with a minimum number of connections for each wall panel, as follows: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 2 connections; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.5)	3	X.	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-6 Bearing Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where bearing connections are used, there is a minimum of two bearing connections for each cladding panel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.6)	>	ζ.	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-7 Inserts. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where concrete cladding components use inserts, the inserts have positive anchorage or are anchored to reinforcing steel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.7)	>	X	The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

CG-8 Overhead Glazing HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Glazing panes of any size in curtain walls and individual interior or exterior panes more than 16 ft2 (1.5 m2) in area are laminated annealed or laminated heat-strengthened glass and are detailed to remain in the frame when cracked. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.8)			X		The building does not have any glazing panes.
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Masonry Veneer

Masonry Veneer						
EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
M-1 Ties. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry veneer is connected to the backup with corrosion-resistant ties. There is a minimum of one tie for every 2-2/3 ft2 (0.25 m2), and the ties have spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 36 in. (914 mm); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 24 in. (610 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.1)	X				Details provided in available structural drawings.
M-2 Shelf Angles. HR- not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is supported by shelf angles or other elements at each floor above the ground floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.2)				X	Details not provided in available structural drawings. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
M-3 Weakened Planes. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is anchored to the backup adjacent to weakened planes, such as at the locations of flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.3)			X		Veneer anchorage details provided in available structural drawings.
M-4 Unreinforced Masonry Backup. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	There is no unreinforced masonry backup. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.2)	X				Veneer backup is wood frame stud walls.
M-5 Stud Tracks. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with coldformed steel stud backup, stud tracks are fastened to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 24 in. (610 mm) on center. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.)			X		There is no cold formed steel stud backup for the masonry veneer.
M-6 Anchorage. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with concrete block or masonry backup, the backup is positively anchored to the structure at a horizontal spacing equal to or less than 4 ft along the floors and roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.1)			X		No veneer at cmu walls.
M-7 Weep Holes. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	In veneer anchored to stud walls, the veneer has functioning weep holes and base flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.6)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
M-8 Openings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	For veneer with cold-formed-steel stud backup, steel studs frame window and door openings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.2)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Parapets, Cornices, Ornamentation, and Appendages

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
PCOA-1 URM Parapets or Cornices. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Laterally unsupported unreinforced masonry parapets or cornices have height-tothickness ratios no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 2.5; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 1.5. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.1)			X		No URM parapets or cornices.
PCOA-2 Canopies. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Canopies at building exits are anchored to the structure at a spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 10 ft (3.0 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.2)	X				Existing drawings indicate framing above entries are well fastened to structure.
PCOA-3 Concrete Parapets. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Concrete parapets with height-to-thickness ratios greater than 2.5 have vertical reinforcement. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.3)			X		No concrete parapets.
PCOA-4 Appendages. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- LMH.	Cornices, parapets, signs, and other ornamentation or appendages that extend above the highest point of anchorage to the structure or cantilever from components are reinforced and anchored to the structural system at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). This evaluation statement item does not apply to parapets or cornices covered by other evaluation statements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.4)			X		No appendages.

Masonry Chimneys

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
MC-1 URM Chimneys. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Unreinforced masonry chimneys extend above the roof surface no more than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 3 times the least dimension of the chimney; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 2 times the least dimension of the chimney. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.1)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.
MC-2 Anchorage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry chimneys are anchored at each floor level, at the topmost ceiling level, and at the roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.2)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.

Stairs

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
S-1 Stair Enclosures. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Hollow-clay tile or unreinforced masonry walls around stair enclosures are restrained out of plane and have height-to-thickness ratios not greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 15-to-1; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 12-to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2, 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.1)			X		Masonry walls at stairs are reinforced.
S-2 Stair Details. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	The connection between the stairs and the structure does not rely on post-installed anchors in concrete or masonry, and the stair details are capable of accommodating the drift calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.1 for moment-frame structures or 0.5 in. for all other structures without including any lateral stiffness contribution from the stairs. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.2)	X				Stair details are not available but based on the completeness of the structural drawing package, connection between the stairs and structure is assumed compliant.

Contents and Furnishings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks. HR-LMH; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Industrial storage racks or pallet racks more than 12 ft high meet the requirements of ANSI/RMI MH 16.1 as modified by ASCE 7, Chapter 15. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.1)				X	The shop areas have racks that may not comply. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Contents more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 are anchored to the structure or to each other. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.2)				X	There are quite a few shelves that may not be anchored to the structure. District to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.

CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment, stored items, or other contents weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level are braced or otherwise restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.3)			X	The shop contained equipment that probably does not comply. The mezzanine space contained shop project supplies (wood, leather, etc.) which should be properly restrained. There were also overhead ducts and hoods and other equipment that would fall in this category. The district should investigate. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting or cabling to avoid falling hazards.
CF-4 Access Floors. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Access floors more than 9 in. (229 mm) high are braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.4)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-5 Equipment on Access Floors. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Equipment and other contents supported by access floor systems are anchored or braced to the structure independent of the access floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.5)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-6 Suspended Contents. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Items suspended without lateral bracing are free to swing from or move with the structure from which they are suspended without damaging themselves or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.6)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Mechanical and Electrical Equipment

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level, and which is not in-line equipment, is braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.4)				X	The shop contained equipment that probably does not comply. Bracing required for equipment weighing more than 20 lb located 4 feet or more above the floor to mitigate seismic risk.
ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment installed in line with a duct or piping system, with an operating weight more than 75 lb (34.0 kg), is supported and laterally braced independent of the duct or piping system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.5)				X	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Unable to determine during site investigation. Bracing for heavy in-line equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Equipment more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 is anchored to the floor slab or adjacent structural walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.6)			X	There is heavy equipment in the shop that may need additional support or restraint. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
ME-4 Mechanical Doors. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	1		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-5 Suspended Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment suspended without lateral bracing is free to swing from or move with the structure from which it is suspended without damaging itself or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.8)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-6 Vibration Isolators. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	1 11		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-7 Heavy Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Floor supported or platform-supported equipment weighing more than 400 lb (181.4 kg) is anchored to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.10)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-8 Electrical Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Electrical equipment is laterally braced to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.11)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-9 Conduit Couplings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Conduit greater than 2.5 in. (64 mm) trade size that is attached to panels, cabinets, or other equipment and is subject to relative seismic displacement has flexible couplings or connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.12)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Piping

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
	Fluid and gas piping has flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-2 Fluid and Gas Piping. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Fluid and gas piping is anchored and braced to the structure to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-3 C-Clamps. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	One-sided C-clamps that support piping larger than 2.5 in. (64 mm) in diameter are restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.5)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

PP-4 Piping Crossing	Piping that crosses seismic joints or isolation			
Seismic Joints HR-not	planes or is connected to independent structures			Not required for life safety
required; LS-not	has couplings or other details to accommodate		X	performance level.
required; PR-H.	the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec.			performance rever.
required, r K-11.	13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)			

Ducts

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
D-1 Duct Bracing. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Rectangular ductwork larger than 6 ft2 (0.56 m2) in cross-sectional area and round ducts larger than 28 in. (711 mm) in diameter are braced. The maximum spacing of transverse bracing does not exceed 30 ft (9.2 m). The maximum spacing of longitudinal bracing does not exceed 60 ft (18.3 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.2)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-2 Duct Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts are not supported by piping or electrical conduit. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.3)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-3 Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts that cross seismic joints or isolation planes or are connected to independent structures have couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Elevators

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
EL-1 Retainer Guards. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Sheaves and drums have cable retainer guards. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.1)			X		No elevator in building.
EL-2 Retainer Plate. HR- not required; LS-H; PR- H.	A retainer plate is present at the top and bottom of both car and counterweight. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.2)			X		No elevator in building.
EL-3 Elevator Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment, piping, and other components that are part of the elevator system are anchored. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.3)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-4 Seismic Switch. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevators capable of operating at speeds of 150 ft/min or faster are equipped with seismic switches that meet the requirements of ASME A17.1 or have trigger levels set to 20% of the acceleration of gravity at the base of the structure and 50% of the acceleration of gravity in other locations. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-5 Shaft Walls. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevator shaft walls are anchored and reinforced to prevent toppling into the shaft during strong shaking. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.5)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

EL-6 Counterweight Rails. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	All counterweight rails and divider beams are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.6)	X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-7 Brackets. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The brackets that tie the car rails and the counterweight rail to the structure are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.7)	X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-8 Spreader Bracket. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Spreader brackets are not used to resist seismic forces. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.8)	X	Not required for life safety performance level.
	The building has a go-slow elevator system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.9)	X	Not required for life safety performance level.

1. Naches Valley, Naches Valley Middle School, Main Building

1.1 Building Description

Building Name: Main Building

Facility Name: Naches Valley Middle

School

District Name: Naches Valley

ICOS Latitude: 46.728
ICOS Longitude: -120.695

ICOS

County/District ID:

39003

ICOS Building ID: 13843
ASCE 41 Bldg Type: RM1
Enrollment: 407

Gross Sq. Ft. : 65,803 Year Built: 1994

Number of Stories: 1

S_{XS BSE-2E}: 0.467

S_{X1 BSE-2E:} 0.267

ASCE 41 Level of

Seismicity:

Site Class: C V_{S30} (m/s): 587

Liquefaction

moderate to high

Potential:

Tsunami Risk: None

Structural Drawings

Available:

Some

Evaluating Firm: BergerABAM/WSP

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Naches Valley Middle School is a one-story masonry building located on a flat site. Constructed in 1994, the building is in excellent condition and looks much newer. The building plan jogs in and out and houses classrooms, administration and gym spaces. Walls are constructed with 10" reinforced masonry units (split face) and the roof is constructed with pre-fabricated roof trusses spaced at 24" oc. Limited structural drawings were available (foundation and roof plans only). The gym was an existing building that was renovated in 1994 when the rest of the building was constructed.

Naches Valley school buildings were uniformly in excellent condition and extremely well maintained and cared for. Limited drawings were available, but the construction was in 1993 and was likely to the 1988 or 1991 UBC.

CMU control joints were observed at the exterior walls. There was not a seismic joint between the 1994 construction and the renovated gym building.

The Naches Valley school facilities visited are all in exceptional shape. Every space (including mechanical spaces) was super clean and obviously well cared for. This building appears to be in outstanding condition.

1.1.1 Building Use

Naches Valley Middle School serves approximately 400 students and includes classrooms, administration space and the gym.

1.1.2 Structural System

Table 1.1-1. Structural System Description of Naches Valley Middle School

Structural System	Description
Standard Doof	The main building roof is constructed with wood roof trusses with 5/8" plywood
Structural Roof	sheathing. The Gym roof is constructed with open web steel roof trusses.
C4 4 1 E1 (-)	The floor is constructed with a 4" slab on grade with 6x6 W2.9 x W2.9 WWF
Structural Floor(s)	reinforcement.
Foundations	The exterior walls are supported on 24" wide x 10" thick continuous footings.
Gravity System	The gravity system consists of roof trusses supported by masonry bearing walls with some interior metal stud bearing walls.
Lateral System	The lateral force resisting system consists of a plywood roof diaphragm with masonry shear walls.

1.1.3 Structural System Visual Condition

Table 1.1-2. Structural System Condition Description of Naches Valley Middle School

Structural System	Description
Structural Roof	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Structural Floor(s)	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Foundations	Unknown
Gravity System	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.
Lateral System	Did not observe signs of corrosion, damage or deterioration.

1.2 Seismic Evaluation Findings

1.2.1 Structural Seismic Deficiencies

The structural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation.

Table 1-3. Identified Structural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley Middle School Main Building

Deficiency	Description
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The Tier 1 seismic evaluation performed for this school building could not confirm structural seismic deficiencies due to limited access for visual observation and/or lack of existing drawings available for review. Please refer to the next page of this report for the list of structural items marked as "unknown" and commentary indicating the need for further investigation or the likelihood of compliance or non-compliance based on the age of construction.

1.2.2 Structural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building structural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the structural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown structural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Table 1-4. Identified Structural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley Middle School Main Building

Unknown Item	Description
Load Path	Limited drawings were available.
Liquefaction	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Moderate to high liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure. The structure appears to be located on a relatively flat site.
Surface Fault Rupture	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine whether site is near locations of expected surface fault ruptures.
Reinforcing Steel	Limited structural drawings available.
Wall Anchorage	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Wood Ledgers	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Transfer to Shear Walls	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Foundation Dowels	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Girder-Column Connection	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Cross Ties	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field. Unlikely to have been installed.
Stiffness of Wall Anchors	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field. Likely to have been installed.

1.3.1 Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies

The nonstructural seismic deficiencies identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each deficiency is also provided based on this evaluation. Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-5. Identified Nonstructural Seismic Deficiencies for Naches Valley Naches Valley Middle School Main Building

Deficiency	Description
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment. HR-not required: LS-H: PR-H	ldid not appear to be breed. This should be further evaluated. See report decuments (including

1.3.2 Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as 'U'nknown

Where building nonstructural component seismic adequacy was unknown due to lack of available information or limited observation, the nonstructural checklist items were marked as "unknown". These items require further investigation if definitive determination of compliance or noncompliance is desired. The unknown nonstructural checklist items identified during the Tier 1 evaluation are summarized below. Commentary for each unknown item is also provided based on the evaluation.

Some nonstructural deficiencies may be able to be mitigated by school district staff. Other nonstructural components that require more substantial mitigation may be more appropriately included in a long-term mitigation strategy. Some typical conceptual details for the seismic upgrade of nonstructural components can be found in the FEMA E-74 Excerpts appendix.

Table 1-6. Identified Nonstructural Checklist Items Marked as Unknown for Naches Valley Naches Valley Middle School Main Building

Unknown Item	Description
LSS-1 Fire Suppression	Not detailed on available drawings or visually verified during site visit. See Report documents
Piping. HR-not required; LS-	(including Appendix) for bracing guidance. Assumed to be noncompliant due to year of
LMH; PR-LMH.	construction (1979).
	Not detailed on available drawings or visually verified during site visit. See Report documents
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings.	, ,
HR-not required; LS-LMH;	(including Appendix) for bracing guidance. Assumed to be noncompliant due to year of
PR-LMH.	construction (1979).
	Not detailed on available drawings or visually verified during site visit. See Report documents
not required; LS-LMH; PR-	(including Appendix) for bracing guidance. Assumed to be noncompliant due to year of
LMH.	construction (1979).
LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling	
Clearance. HR-not required;	Not detailed on drawings and unclear in photos if the correct clearance is being provided.
LS-MH; PR-MH.	
HM-1 Hazardous Material	Did not observe equipment containing hazardous materials mounted on vibration isolators. District
Equipment. HR-LMH; LS-	to confirm.
LMH; PR-LMH.	to commin.
HM-2 Hazardous Material	
Storage. HR-LMH; LS-LMH;	Did not observe breakable containers with hazardous materials. District to confirm.
PR-LMH.	
HM-3 Hazardous Material	
Distribution. HR-MH; LS-	Did not observe piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials. District to confirm.
MH; PR-MH.	
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-	Did not also made to a till also a small and Charald have a formed
MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Did not observe but most likely compliant. Should be confirmed.
HM-5 Flexible Couplings.	
HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-	Did not observe flexible couplings. Should be confirmed.
LMH.	
LF-1 Independent Support.	
HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-	Unknown what supports or bracing may be hidden in the ceiling space.
MH.	
CG-8 Overhead Glazing. HR-	
not required; LS-MH; PR-MH.	The building does not have any overhead glazing.
M-1 Ties. HR-not required;	According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have
LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	masonry veneer.
CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks.	
HR-LMH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Appendix) for bracing guidance.
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents.	
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-	Did not observe, district to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing
MH.	wall, provide overturning base restraint.
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Unknown Item	Description
CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents.	Did not observe, district to confirm. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	or cabling to avoid becoming falling hazards.
ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Unclear if in-line equipment was braced
not required; LS-H; PR-H.	as required. This should be further evaluated.
ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment.	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Did not observe that any of the equipment
HR-not required; LS-H; PR-	falls into this category, but this should be confirmed. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller
MH.	than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.

Photos:



Figure 1-1. Naches Valley Middle School

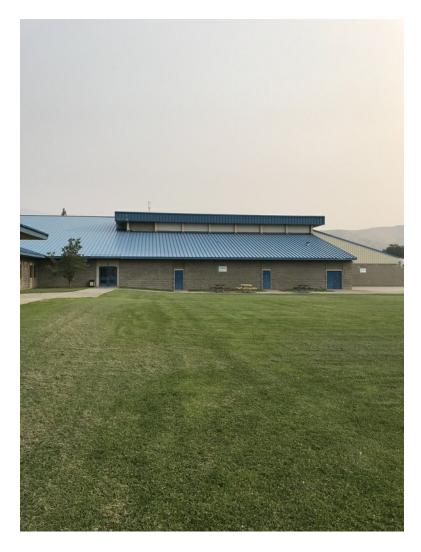


Figure 1-2. Naches Valley MS classroom wing

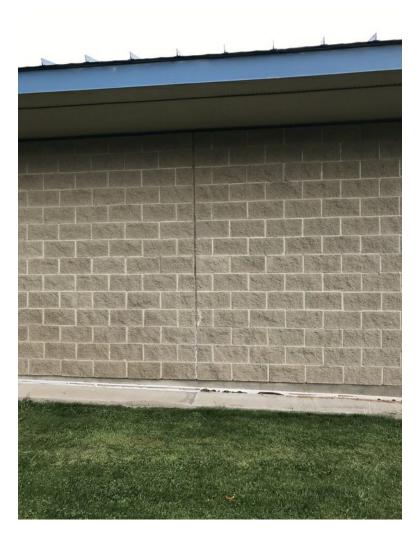


Figure 1-3. control joint at masonry wall construction



Figure 1-4. Naches Valley Middle School classroom



Figure 1-5. Naches Valley Middle School classroom/gym



Figure 1-6. Naches Valley gym



Figure 1-7. Naches Valley MS Gym/classroom joint



Figure 1-8. Hairline cracks at gym column



Figure 1-9. Naches Valley gym roof construction

Naches Valley, Naches Valley Middle School, Main Building

17-2 Collapse Prevention Basic Configuration Checklist

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low Seismicity

Building System - General

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Load Path	The structure contains a complete, well-defined load path, including structural elements and connections, that serves to transfer the inertial forces associated with the mass of all elements of the building to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.10)				X	Limited drawings were available.
Adjacent Buildings	The clear distance between the building being evaluated and any adjacent building is greater than 0.25% of the height of the shorter building in low seismicity, 0.5% in moderate seismicity, and 1.5% in high seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.2)	X				No seismic joint with adjacent gym. Unknown connection between gym building and middle school main building.
Mezzanines	Interior mezzanine levels are braced independently from the main structure or are anchored to the seismic-force-resisting elements of the main structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.1.3)			X		No interior mezzanine level.

Building System - Building Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Weak Story	The sum of the shear strengths of the seismic- force-resisting system in any story in each direction is not less than 80% of the strength in the adjacent story above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.1; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.2)			X		One-story building
Soft Story	The stiffness of the seismic-force-resisting system in any story is not less than 70% of the seismic-force-resisting system stiffness in an adjacent story above or less than 80% of the average seismic-force-resisting system stiffness of the three stories above. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.2; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.3)			X		One-story building
Vertical Irregularities	All vertical elements in the seismic-forceresisting system are continuous to the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.3; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.4)			X		One-story building

Geometry	There are no changes in the net horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system of more than 30% in a story relative to adjacent stories, excluding one-story penthouses and mezzanines. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.4; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.5)		X	One story building
Mass	There is no change in effective mass of more than 50% from one story to the next. Light roofs, penthouses, and mezzanines need not be considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.5; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.6)		X	One-story building
Torsion	The estimated distance between the story center of mass and the story center of rigidity is less than 20% of the building width in either plan dimension. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.2.6; Commentary: Sec. A.2.2.7)	X		The building has flexible diaphragms and a generous layout of shear walls so torsion is not expected to be an issue.

Moderate Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low Seismicity)

Geologic Site Hazards

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Liquefaction	Liquefaction-susceptible, saturated, loose granular soils that could jeopardize the building's seismic performance do not exist in the foundation soils at depths within 50 ft (15.2 m) under the building. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.1)				X	The liquefaction potential of site soils is unknown at this time given available information. Moderate to high liquefaction potential is identified per ICOS based on state geologic mapping. Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine liquefaction potential.
Slope Failure	The building site is located away from potential earthquake-induced slope failures or rockfalls so that it is unaffected by such failures or is capable of accommodating any predicted movements without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.2)				X	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine susceptibility to slope failure. The structure appears to be located on a relatively flat site.
Surface Fault Rupture	Surface fault rupture and surface displacement at the building site are not anticipated. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.1; Commentary: Sec. A.6.1.3)				X	Requires further investigation by a licensed geotechnical engineer to determine whether site is near locations of expected surface fault ruptures.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Foundation Configuration

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Overturning	The ratio of the least horizontal dimension of the seismic-force-resisting system at the foundation level to the building height (base/height) is greater than 0.6Sa. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.3; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.1)	X				0.6Sa = 0.48 which is less than base/height ratio of 11.
Ties Between Foundation Elements	The foundation has ties adequate to resist seismic forces where footings, piles, and piers are not restrained by beams, slabs, or soils classified as Site Class A, B, or C. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.4.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.6.2.2)	X				Soil Site Class D and the footings are restrained by slabs.

17-34 Collapse Prevention Structural Checklist for Building Types RM1 and RM2

Building record drawings have been reviewed, when available, and a non-destructive field investigation has been performed for the subject building. Each of the required checklist items are marked Compliant (C), Noncompliant (NC), Not Applicable (N/A), or Unknown (U). Items marked Compliant indicate conditions that satisfy the performance objective, whereas items marked Noncompliant or Unknown indicate conditions that do not. Certain statements might not apply to the building being evaluated.

Low and Moderate Seismicity

Seismic-Force-Resisting System

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Redundancy	The number of lines of shear walls in each principal direction is greater than or equal to 2. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.1.1)	X				The flexible diaphragm will distribute the loads to the many shear walls on a tributary area basis.
Shear Stress Check	The shear stress in the reinforced masonry shear walls, calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.3, is less than 70 lb/in.2 (0.48 MPa). (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.4.1)	X				The ASCE Quick Check of the shear stress in the reinforced masonry shear walls indicated compliance.
Reinforcing Steel	The total vertical and horizontal reinforcing steel ratio in reinforced masonry walls is greater than 0.002 of the wall with the minimum of 0.0007 in either of the two directions; the spacing of reinforcing steel is less than 48 in. (1220 mm), and all vertical bars extend to the top of the walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.5.3.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.3.2.4.2)				X	Limited structural drawings available.

Stiff Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Tonning Slah	Precast concrete diaphragm elements are interconnected by a continuous reinforced concrete topping slab. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.4.5.1)			X		No precast concrete diaphragm elements or concrete topping slab.

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Wall Anchorage	Exterior concrete or masonry walls that are dependent on the diaphragm for lateral support are anchored for out-of-plane forces at each diaphragm level with steel anchors, reinforcing dowels, or straps that are developed into the diaphragm. Connections have strength to resist the connection force calculated in the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.7. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.1)				X	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.

Wood Ledgers	The connection between the wall panels and the diaphragm does not induce cross-grain bending or tension in the wood ledgers. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.2)			X	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Transfer to Shear Walls	Diaphragms are connected for transfer of seismic forces to the shear walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.1)			X	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Topping Slab to Walls or Frames	Reinforced concrete topping slabs that interconnect the precast concrete diaphragm elements are doweled for transfer of forces into the shear wall or frame elements. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.2.)		X		No reinforced concrete topping slab or precast concrete diaphragm elements.
Foundation Dowels	Wall reinforcement is doweled into the foundation. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.3.4; Commentary: Sec. A.5.3.5)			X	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.
Girder-Column Connection	There is a positive connection using plates, connection hardware, or straps between the girder and the column support. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.4.1; Commentary: Sec. A.5.4.1)			X	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field.

High Seismicity (Complete the Following Items in Addition to the Items for Low and Moderate Seismicity)

Stiff Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Upenings at Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to the shear walls are less than 25% of the wall length. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.4)			X		No stiff (or rigid) diaphragm
Openings at Exterior	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to exterior masonry shear walls are not greater than 8 ft (2.4 m) long. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.6)			X		No stiff (or rigid) diaphragm

Flexible Diaphragms

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
Cross Ties	There are continuous cross ties between diaphragm chords. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.2)				X	Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field. Unlikely to have been installed.
Openings at Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to the shear walls are less than 25% of the wall length. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.4)	X				No diaphragm openings adjacent to shear walls.
Openings at Exterior Masonry Shear Walls	Diaphragm openings immediately adjacent to exterior masonry shear walls are not greater than 8 ft (2.4 m) long. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.1.3; Commentary: Sec. A.4.1.6)	X				No diaphragm openings adjacent to shear walls.
Straight Sheathing	All straight-sheathed diaphragms have aspect ratios less than 2-to-1 in the direction being considered. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.1)			X		No straight sheathed diaphragms.

Spans	All wood diaphragms with spans greater than 24 ft (7.3 m) consist of wood structural panels or diagonal sheathing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.2)	X		Wood diaphragms consist of wood structural panels.
Diagonally Sheathed and Unblocked Diaphragms	All diagonally sheathed or unblocked wood structural panel diaphragms have horizontal spans less than 40 ft (12.2 m) and aspect ratios less than or equal to 4 to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.4.2.3)	X		Limited structural drawings indicate wood diaphragms have spans less than 40 feet and 4 to 1 aspect ratio limit is not exceeded.
Other Diaphragms	Diaphragms do not consist of a system other than wood, metal deck, concrete, or horizontal bracing. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.4.7.1)	X		Wood frame roof and floor diaphragms.

Connections

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
	Anchors of concrete or masonry walls to wood structural elements are installed taut and are stiff enough to limit the relative movement between the wall and the diaphragm to no greater than 1/8 in. (3 mm) before engagement of the anchors. (Tier 2: Sec. 5.7.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.5.1.4)					Limited structural drawings available, unable to verify in field. Likely to have been installed.

Naches Valley, Naches Valley Middle School, Main Building 17-38 Nonstructural Checklist

Notes:

C = Compliant, NC = Noncompliant, N/A = Not Applicable, and U = Unknown.

Performance Level: HR = Hazards Reduced, LS = Life Safety, and PR = Position Retention.

Level of Seismicity: L = Low, M = Moderate, and H = High

Life Safety Systems

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LSS-1 Fire Suppression Piping. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Fire suppression piping is anchored and braced in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.1)				X	No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on year of construction (1994) of the building, it is assumed that seismic bracing for fire suppression piping may be compliant with NFPA 13. District to confirm.
LSS-2 Flexible Couplings. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Fire suppression piping has flexible couplings in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)				X	No available record drawing information on fire suppression piping and unable to verify during site investigation. Based on age of the building, it is assumed the flexible couplings on the fire suppression piping comply with NFPA 13.
LSS-3 Emergency Power. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Equipment used to power or control Life Safety systems is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.1)				X	No pictures/access to determine if emergency power system is anchored or braced. Evaluation of emergency power equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-4 Stair and Smoke Ducts. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Stair pressurization and smoke control ducts are braced and have flexible connections at seismic joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.1)			X		No enclosed stairs.

LSS-5 Sprinkler Ceiling Clearance. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Penetrations through panelized ceilings for fire suppression devices provide clearances in accordance with NFPA-13. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)			X	No available record drawing information on sprinkler head clearance and unable to verify during site investigation. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
LSS-6 Emergency Lighting. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-LMH	Emergency and egress lighting equipment is anchored or braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.1)		X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Hazardous Materials

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EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
HM-1 Hazardous Material Equipment. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators and containing hazardous material is equipped with restraints or snubbers. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.2)			X		Did not observe equipment containing hazardous materials mounted on vibration isolators. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-2 Hazardous Material Storage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Breakable containers that hold hazardous material, including gas cylinders, are restrained by latched doors, shelf lips, wires, or other methods. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.3; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.1)				X	Unknown whether the building has hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-3 Hazardous Material Distribution. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials is braced or otherwise protected from damage that would allow hazardous material release. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)			X		Did not observe any piping or ductwork conveying hazardous materials.
HM-4 Shutoff Valves. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Piping containing hazardous material, including natural gas, has shutoff valves or other devices to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.3)				X	It is unknown if there are shutoff valves for piping containing hazardous materials. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
HM-5 Flexible Couplings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Hazardous material ductwork and piping, including natural gas piping, have flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.15.4)				X	Did not observe any hazardous material ductwork and piping. Further investigation may be apprpopriate to mitigate seismic risk.

	Piping or ductwork carrying hazardous material			
HM-6 Piping or Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	that either crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5, 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec.		X	Building has no seismic joints.
	A.7.13.6)			

Partitions

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
P-1 Unreinforced Masonry. HR-LMH; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Unreinforced masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are braced at a spacing of at most 10 ft (3.0 m) in Low or Moderate Seismicity, or at most 6 ft (1.8 m) in High Seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.1)			X		There are no URM partitions in the building.
P-2 Heavy Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	The tops of masonry or hollow-clay tile partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)			X		Limited structural drawings available do not indicate interior masonry partitions.
P-3 Drift. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Rigid cementitious partitions are detailed to accommodate the following drift ratios: in steel moment frame, concrete moment frame, and wood frame buildings, 0.02; in other buildings, 0.005. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.2)			X		Limited structural drawings available do not indicate rigid cementitious partitions.
P-4 Light Partitions Supported by Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of gypsum board partitions are not laterally supported by an integrated ceiling system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.1)	X				Not required for life safety performance level.
P-5 Structural Separations. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Partitions that cross structural separations have seismic or control joints. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.3)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
P-6 Tops. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The tops of ceiling-high framed or panelized partitions have lateral bracing to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.1.4)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Ceilings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
C-1 Suspended Lath and Plaster. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended lath and plaster ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		No suspended lath and plaster ceilings observed.
C-2 Suspended Gypsum Board. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Suspended gypsum board ceilings have attachments that resist seismic forces for every 12 ft2 (1.1 m2) of area. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.3)			X		There are no suspended gypsum board ceilings.

C-3 Integrated Ceilings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) and ceilings of smaller areas that are not surrounded by restraining partitions are laterally restrained at a spacing no greater than 12 ft (3.6 m) with members attached to the structure above. Each restraint location has a minimum of four diagonal wires and compression struts, or diagonal members capable of resisting compression. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.2)		X	Not required for life safe performance level.
C-4 Edge Clearance. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4		X	Not required for life safe performance level.
C-5 Continuity Across Structure Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	The ceiling system does not cross any seismic joint and is not attached to multiple independent structures. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.5)		X	Not required for life safe performance level.
C-6 Edge Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The free edges of integrated suspended ceilings with continuous areas greater than 144 ft2 (13.4 m2) are supported by closure angles or channels not less than 2 in. (51 mm) wide. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.6)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Leve
C-7 Seismic Joints. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Acoustical tile or lay-in panel ceilings have seismic separation joints such that each continuous portion of the ceiling is no more than 2,500 ft2 (232.3 m2) and has a ratio of long-to-short dimension no more than 4-to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.2.7)		X	Not required for life safe performance level.

Light Fixtures

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
LF-1 Independent Support. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Light fixtures that weigh more per square foot than the ceiling they penetrate are supported independent of the grid ceiling suspension system by a minimum of two wires at diagonally opposite corners of each fixture. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.4, 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.2)				X	Unknown what supports or bracing may be hidden in the ceiling space. Further investigation may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.

LF-2 Pendant Supports. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Light fixtures on pendant supports are attached at a spacing equal to or less than 6 ft. Unbraced suspended fixtures are free to allow a 360-degree range of motion at an angle not less than 45 degrees from horizontal without contacting adjacent components. Alternatively, if rigidly supported and/or braced, they are free to move with the structure to which they are attached without damaging adjoining components. Additionally, the connection to the structure is capable of accommodating the movement without failure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.3)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
LF-3 Lens Covers. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Lens covers on light fixtures are attached with safety devices. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.3.4)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Cladding and Glazing

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION CTATEMENT		NC	3 T / A	T T	COLORDIT
EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CG-1 Cladding Anchors. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding components weighing more than 10 lb/ft2 (0.48 kN/m2) are mechanically anchored to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 ft (1.2 m) (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.1)			X		The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-2 Cladding Isolation. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	For steel or concrete moment-frame buildings, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.3)			X		The building does not have any exterior cladding components.
CG-3 Multi-Story Panels. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For multi-story panels attached at more than one floor level, panel connections are detailed to accommodate a story drift ratio by the use of rods attached to framing with oversize holes or slotted holes of at least the following: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 0.01; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 0.02, and the rods have a length-to-diameter ratio of 4.0 or less. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.4)			X		The building does not have any exterior cladding components.

CG-4 Threaded Rods. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Threaded rods for panel connections detailed to accommodate drift by bending of the rod have a length-to-diameter ratio greater than 0.06 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity and 0.12 times the story height in inches for Life Safety in High Seismicity and Position Retention in any seismicity. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.9)		X	The building does not hany exterior cladding components.
CG-5 Panel Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR- MH.	Cladding panels are anchored out of plane with a minimum number of connections for each wall panel, as follows: for Life Safety in Moderate Seismicity, 2 connections; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 4 connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.5)		X	The building does not hany exterior cladding components.
CG-6 Bearing Connections. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where bearing connections are used, there is a minimum of two bearing connections for each cladding panel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.6)		X	The building does not hany exterior cladding components.
CG-7 Inserts. HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-MH.	Where concrete cladding components use inserts, the inserts have positive anchorage or are anchored to reinforcing steel. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.4; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.7)		X	The building does not hany exterior cladding components.
CG-8 Overhead Glazing. HR-not required; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Glazing panes of any size in curtain walls and individual interior or exterior panes more than 16 ft2 (1.5 m2) in area are laminated annealed or laminated heat-strengthened glass and are detailed to remain in the frame when cracked. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.4.8)		X	The building does not hany glazing panes.

Masonry Veneer

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
M-1 Ties. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry veneer is connected to the backup with corrosion-resistant ties. There is a minimum of one tie for every 2-2/3 ft2 (0.25 m2), and the ties have spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 36 in. (914 mm); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 24 in. (610 mm). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.1)			X		According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have masonry veneer.
M-2 Shelf Angles. HR- not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is supported by shelf angles or other elements at each floor above the ground floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.2)	X				According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have masonry veneer.

M-3 Weakened Planes. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Masonry veneer is anchored to the backup adjacent to weakened planes, such as at the locations of flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.3)	X		According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have masonry veneer.
M-4 Unreinforced Masonry Backup. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	There is no unreinforced masonry backup. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.2)	X		According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have masonry veneer.
M-5 Stud Tracks. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with coldformed steel stud backup, stud tracks are fastened to the structure at a spacing equal to or less than 24 in. (610 mm) on center. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.)		X	According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have masonry veneer.
M-6 Anchorage. HR-not required; LS-MH; PR- MH.	For veneer with concrete block or masonry backup, the backup is positively anchored to the structure at a horizontal spacing equal to or less than 4 ft along the floors and roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.7.1)		X	According to the limited structural drawings available, the middle school building does not have masonry veneer.
M-7 Weep Holes. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	In veneer anchored to stud walls, the veneer has functioning weep holes and base flashing. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.5.6)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
M-8 Openings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	For veneer with cold-formed-steel stud backup, steel studs frame window and door openings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.1.1, 13.6.1.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.6.2)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level

Parapets, Cornices, Ornamentation, and Appendages

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
PCOA-1 URM Parapets or Cornices. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Laterally unsupported unreinforced masonry parapets or cornices have height-tothickness ratios no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 2.5; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 1.5. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.1)			X		No URM parapets or cornices.
PCOA-2 Canopies. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	Canopies at building exits are anchored to the structure at a spacing no greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 10 ft (3.0 m); for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 6 ft (1.8 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.2)	X				Canopies appeared to be well fastened to structure.
PCOA-3 Concrete Parapets. HR-H; LS-MH; PR-LMH.	Concrete parapets with height-to-thickness ratios greater than 2.5 have vertical reinforcement. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.8.3)	X				No concrete parapets.

	Cornices, parapets, signs, and other					
	ornamentation or appendages that extend above					
	the highest point of anchorage to the structure					
PCOA-4 Appendages.	or cantilever from components are reinforced		x			No appendages.
HR-MH; LS-MH; PR-	and anchored to the structural system at a			v		
LMH.	spacing equal to or less than 6 ft (1.8 m). This			Λ		
LIVIII.	evaluation statement item does not apply to					
	parapets or cornices covered by other evaluation					
	statements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.6; Commentary:					
	Sec. A.7.8.4)					

Masonry Chimneys

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
MC-1 URM Chimneys. HR-LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Unreinforced masonry chimneys extend above the roof surface no more than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 3 times the least dimension of the chimney; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 2 times the least dimension of the chimney. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.1)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.
MC-2 Anchorage. HR- LMH; LS-LMH; PR- LMH.	Masonry chimneys are anchored at each floor level, at the topmost ceiling level, and at the roof. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.9.2)			X		There are no masonry chimneys.

Stairs

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
S-1 Stair Enclosures. HR-not required; LS- LMH; PR-LMH.	Hollow-clay tile or unreinforced masonry walls around stair enclosures are restrained out of plane and have height-to-thickness ratios not greater than the following: for Life Safety in Low or Moderate Seismicity, 15-to-1; for Life Safety in High Seismicity and for Position Retention in any seismicity, 12-to-1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.2, 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.1)			X		No stairs.
S-2 Stair Details. HR-not required; LS-LMH; PR-LMH.	The connection between the stairs and the structure does not rely on post-installed anchors in concrete or masonry, and the stair details are capable of accommodating the drift calculated using the Quick Check procedure of Section 4.4.3.1 for moment-frame structures or 0.5 in. for all other structures without including any lateral stiffness contribution from the stairs. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.10.2)			X		No stairs.

Contents and Furnishings

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
CF-1 Industrial Storage Racks. HR-LMH; LS- MH; PR-MH.	Industrial storage racks or pallet racks more than 12 ft high meet the requirements of ANSI/RMI MH 16.1 as modified by ASCE 7, Chapter 15. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.1)			X		Does not appear that there are any industrial storage racks taller than 12 feet in the building.
CF-2 Tall Narrow Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Contents more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 are anchored to the structure or to each other. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.2)				X	Did not observe, district to confirm. Brace tops of shelving taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
CF-3 Fall-Prone Contents. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment, stored items, or other contents weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level are braced or otherwise restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.3)				X	Did not observe, district to confirm. Heavy items on upper shelves should be restrained by netting or cabling to avoid falling hazards.
CF-4 Access Floors. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Access floors more than 9 in. (229 mm) high are braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-5 Equipment on Access Floors. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-MH.	Equipment and other contents supported by access floor systems are anchored or braced to the structure independent of the access floor. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7 13.6.10; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.5)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
CF-6 Suspended Contents. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Items suspended without lateral bracing are free to swing from or move with the structure from which they are suspended without damaging themselves or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.8.2; Commentary: Sec. A.7.11.6)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Mechanical and Electrical Equipment

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
ME-1 Fall-Prone Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment weighing more than 20 lb (9.1 kg) whose center of mass is more than 4 ft (1.2 m) above the adjacent floor level, and which is not in-line equipment, is braced. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.4)		X			Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Some equipment in the mechanical rooms did not appear to be braced. Bracing required for equipment weighing more than 20 lb located 4 feet or more above the floor to mitigate seismic risk.

ME-2 In-Line Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-H.	Equipment installed in line with a duct or piping system, with an operating weight more than 75 lb (34.0 kg), is supported and laterally braced independent of the duct or piping system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.5)			X	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Unable to determine during site investigation. Bracing for heavy in-line equipment may be appropriate to mitigate seismic risk.
ME-3 Tall Narrow Equipment. HR-not required; LS-H; PR-MH.	Equipment more than 6 ft (1.8 m) high with a height-to-depth or height-to-width ratio greater than 3-to-1 is anchored to the floor slab or adjacent structural walls. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.6)			X	Mechanical room was exceptionally clean and well kept. Did not observe that any of the equipment falls into this category, but this should be confirmed. Brace tops of tall narrow equipment taller than 6 feet to nearest backing wall, provide overturning base restraint.
	Mechanically operated doors are detailed to operate at a story drift ratio of 0.01. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.6.9; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.7)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-5 Suspended Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment suspended without lateral bracing is free to swing from or move with the structure from which it is suspended without damaging itself or adjoining components. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.8)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-6 Vibration Isolators. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Equipment mounted on vibration isolators is equipped with horizontal restraints or snubbers and with vertical restraints to resist overturning. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.9)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-7 Heavy Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Floor supported or platform-supported equipment weighing more than 400 lb (181.4 kg) is anchored to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.1, 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.10)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-8 Electrical Equipment. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Electrical equipment is laterally braced to the structure. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.7; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.11)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.
ME-9 Conduit Couplings. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Conduit greater than 2.5 in. (64 mm) trade size that is attached to panels, cabinets, or other equipment and is subject to relative seismic displacement has flexible couplings or connections. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.8; Commentary: Sec. A.7.12.12)		X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Piping

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	С	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
	Fluid and gas piping has flexible couplings. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.2)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-2 Fluid and Gas Piping. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Fluid and gas piping is anchored and braced to the structure to limit spills or leaks. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.
PP-3 C-Clamps. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	One-sided C-clamps that support piping larger than 2.5 in. (64 mm) in diameter are restrained. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.5)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
PP-4 Piping Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Piping that crosses seismic joints or isolation planes or is connected to independent structures has couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.3, 13.7.5; Commentary: Sec. A.7.13.6)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

Ducts

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
D-1 Duct Bracing. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Rectangular ductwork larger than 6 ft2 (0.56 m2) in cross-sectional area and round ducts larger than 28 in. (711 mm) in diameter are braced. The maximum spacing of transverse bracing does not exceed 30 ft (9.2 m). The maximum spacing of longitudinal bracing does not exceed 60 ft (18.3 m). (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.2)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-2 Duct Support. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts are not supported by piping or electrical conduit. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.3)			X		Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
D-3 Ducts Crossing Seismic Joints. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Ducts that cross seismic joints or isolation planes or are connected to independent structures have couplings or other details to accommodate the relative seismic displacements. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.6; Commentary: Sec. A.7.14.4)			X		Not required for life safety performance level.

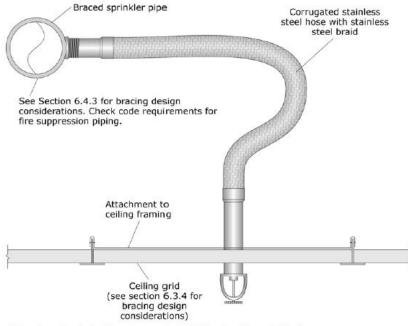
Elevators

EVALUATION ITEM	EVALUATION STATEMENT	C	NC	N/A	U	COMMENT
EL-1 Retainer Guards.	Sheaves and drums have cable retainer guards.					
HR-not required; LS-H;	(Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec.			X		No elevator in building.
PR-H.	A.7.16.1)					
EL-2 Retainer Plate. HR-	A retainer plate is present at the top and bottom					
not required; LS-H; PR-	of both car and counterweight. (Tier 2: Sec.			X		No elevator in building.
H.	13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.2)					

EL-3 Elevator Equipment. HR-not	Equipment, piping, and other components that are part of the elevator system are anchored.		X	Not required for life safety
required; LS-not	(Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec.		Λ	performance level.
required; PR-H.	A.7.16.3)			
EL-4 Seismic Switch. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevators capable of operating at speeds of 150 ft/min or faster are equipped with seismic switches that meet the requirements of ASME A17.1 or have trigger levels set to 20% of the acceleration of gravity at the base of the structure and 50% of the acceleration of gravity in other locations. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.4)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-5 Shaft Walls. HR- not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Elevator shaft walls are anchored and reinforced to prevent toppling into the shaft during strong shaking. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.5)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-6 Counterweight Rails. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	All counterweight rails and divider beams are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.6)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-7 Brackets. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The brackets that tie the car rails and the counterweight rail to the structure are sized in accordance with ASME A17.1. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.7)		X	Not required for Life Safety Performance Level
EL-8 Spreader Bracket. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	Spreader brackets are not used to resist seismic forces. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.8)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.
EL-9 Go-Slow Elevators. HR-not required; LS-not required; PR-H.	The building has a go-slow elevator system. (Tier 2: Sec. 13.7.11; Commentary: Sec. A.7.16.9)		X	Not required for life safety performance level.



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Note: for seismic design category D, E & F, the flexible sprinkler hose fitting must accommodate at least $1^{\prime\prime}$ of ceiling movement without use of an oversized opening. Alternatively, the sprinkler head must have a $2^{\prime\prime}$ oversize ring or adapter that allows $1^{\prime\prime}$ movement in all directions.

Figure G-1. Flexible Sprinkler Drop.

(FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

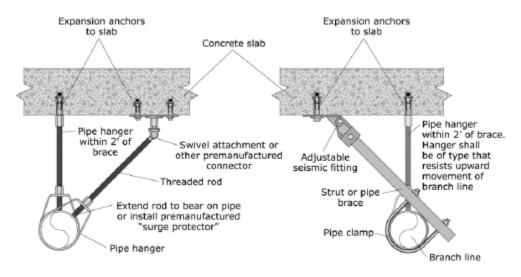


Figure G-2. End of Line Restraint.

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Partitions

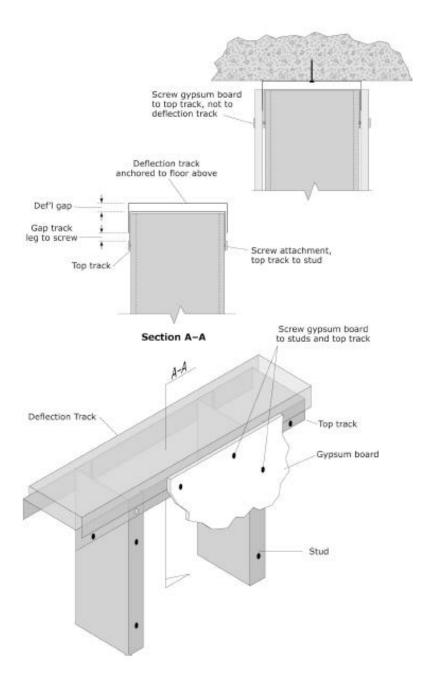


Figure G-3. Mitigation Schemes for Bracing the Tops of Metal Stud Partitions Walls. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

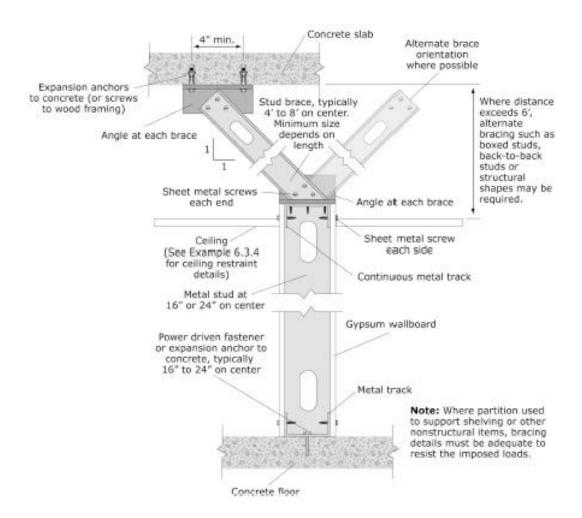
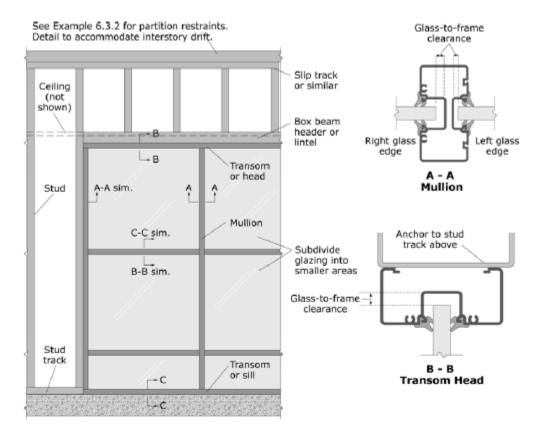


Figure G-4. Mitigation Schemes for Bracing the Tops of Metal Stud Partitions Walls. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Notes: Glazed partition shown in full-height nonbearing stud wall. Nonstructural surround must be designed to provide in-plane and out-of-plane restraint for glazing assembly without delivering any loads to the glazing.

Glass-to-frame clearance requirements are dependent on anticipated structural drift. Where partition is isolated from structural drift, clearance requirements are reduced. Refer to building code for specific requirements.

Safety glass (laminated, tempered, etc.) will reduce the hazard in case of breakage during an earthquake. See Example 6.3.1.4 for related discussion.

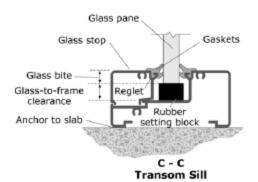


Figure G-5. Full-height Glazed Partition.

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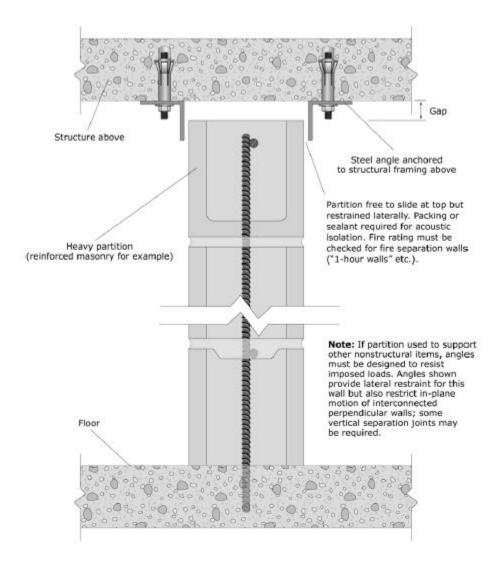


Figure G-6. Full-height Heavy Partition.
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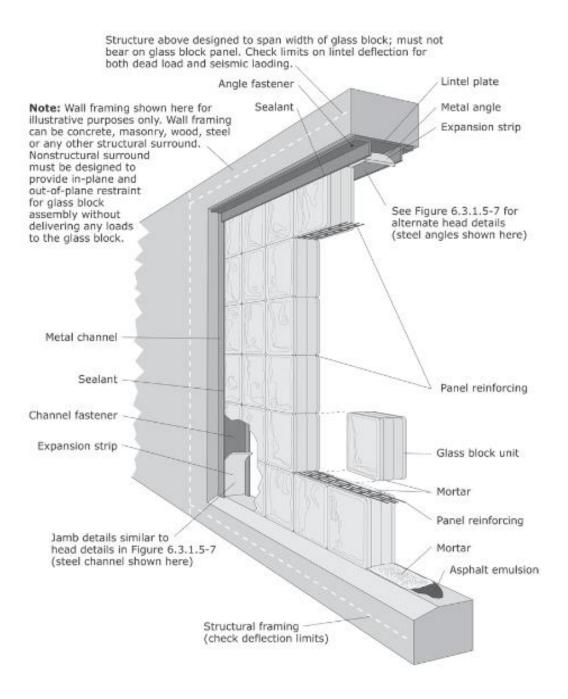


Figure G-7. Typical Glass Block Panel Details. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

Ceilings

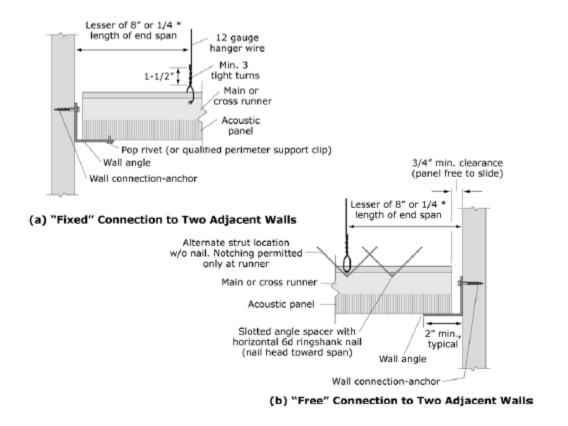
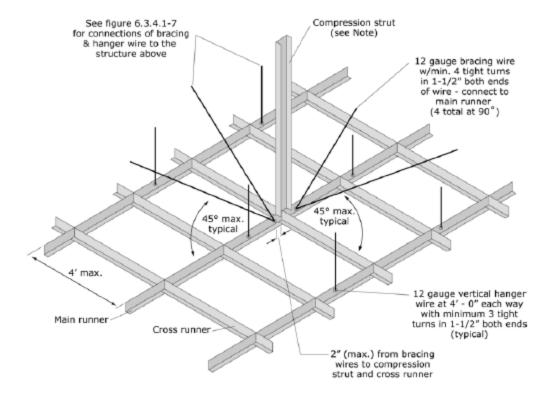


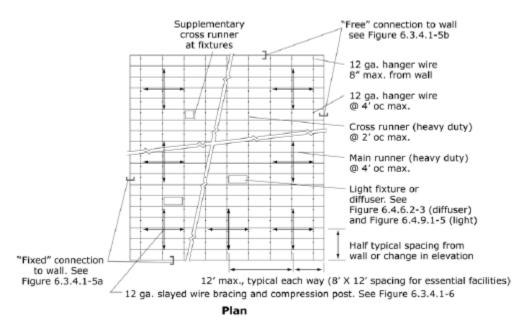
Figure G-8. Suspension System for Acoustic Lay-in Panel Ceilings – Edge Conditions. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Note: Compression strut shall not replace hanger wire. Compression strut consists of a steel section attached to main runner with 2 - #12 sheet metal screws and to structure with 2 - #12 screws to wood or 1/4" min. expansion anchor to structure. Size of strut is dependent on distance between ceiling and structure (I/r ≤ 200). A 1" diameter conduit can be used for up to 6', a 1-5/8" X 1-1/4" metal stud can be used for up to 10'

Per DSA IR 25-5, ceiling areas less than 144 sq. ft, or fire rated ceilings less than 96 sq. ft., surrounded by walls braced to the structure above do not require lateral bracing assemblies when they are attached to two adjacent walls. (ASTM E580 does not require lateral bracing assemblies for ceilings less than 1000 sq. ft.; see text.)

Figure G-9. Suspension System for Acoustic Lay-in Panel Ceilings – General Bracing Assembly. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



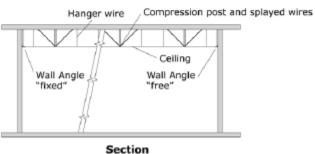
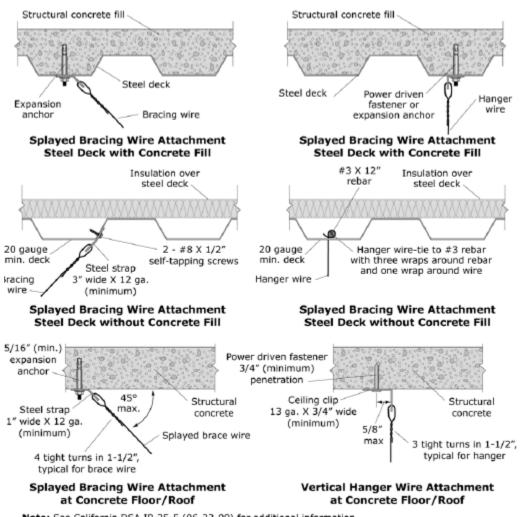


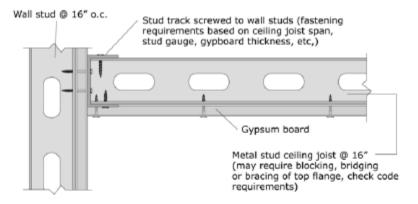
Figure G-10. Suspension System for Acoustic Lay-in Panel Ceilings – General Bracing Layout. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



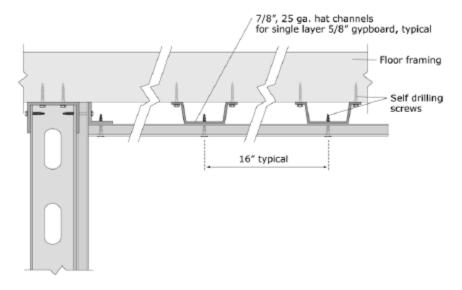
Note: See California DSA IR 25-5 (06-22-09) for additional information.

Figure G-11. Suspension System for Acoustic Lay-in Panel Ceilings – Overhead Attachment Details.

(FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



a) Gypsum board attached directly to ceiling joists



b) Gypsum board attached directly to furring strips (hat channel or similar)

Note: Commonly used details shown; no special seismic details are required as long as furring and gypboard secured. Check for certified assemblies (UL listed, FM approved, etc.) if fire or sound rating required.

Figure G-12. Gypsum Board Ceiling Applied Directly to Structure. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

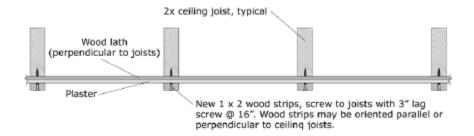


Figure G-13. Retrofit Detail for Existing Lath and Plaster. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

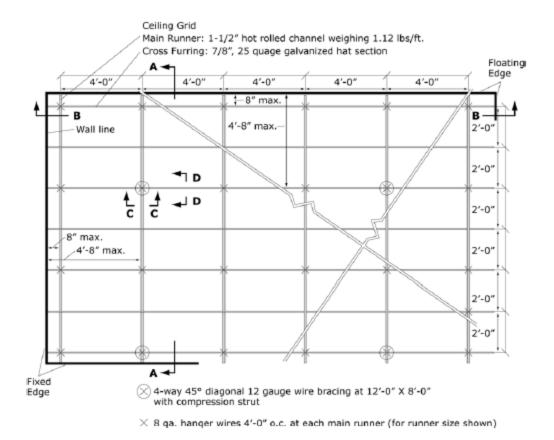
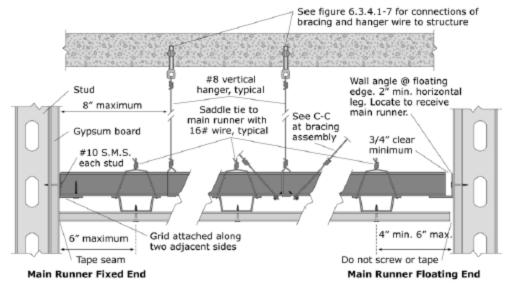
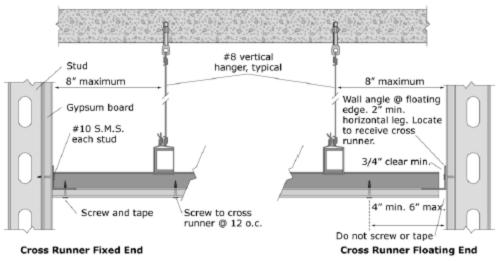


Figure G-14. Diagrammatic View of Suspended Heavy Ceiling Grid and Lateral Bracing. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



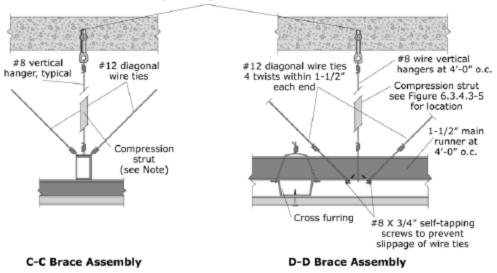
A-A Main Runner at Perimeter



B-B Cross Runner at Perimeter

Figure G-15. Perimeter Details for Suspended Gypsum Board Ceiling. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

See figure 6.3.4.1-7 for connections of bracing and hanger wire to structure



Note: Compression strut shall not replace hanger wire. Compresion strut consists of a steel section attached to main runner with 2 - #12 sheet metal screws and to structure with 2 - #12 screws to wood or $1/4^{\circ}$ min. expansion anchor to concrete. Size of strut is dependent on distance between ceiling and structure ($I/r \le 200$). A 1" diameter conduit can be used for up to 6', a $1-5/8^{\circ}$ X $1-1/4^{\circ}$ metal stud can be used for up to 10'. See figure 6.3.4.1-6 for example of bracing assembly.

Figure G-16. Details for Lateral Bracing Assembly for Suspended Gypsum Board Ceiling. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

Light Fixtures

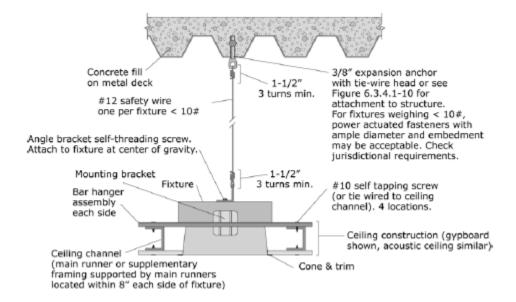


Figure G-17. Recessed Light Fixture in suspended Ceiling (Fixture Weight < 10 pounds). (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

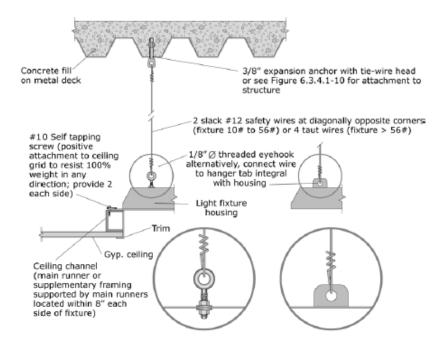


Figure G-18. Recessed Light Fixture in suspended Ceiling (Fixture Weight 10 to 56 pounds). (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

Contents and Furnishings

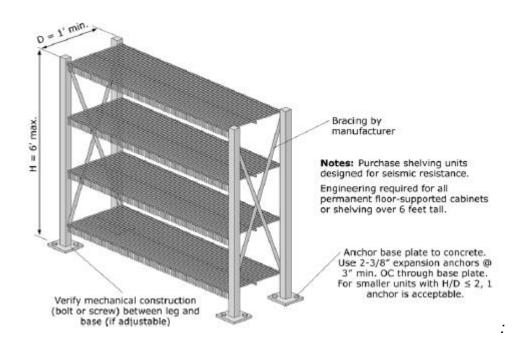
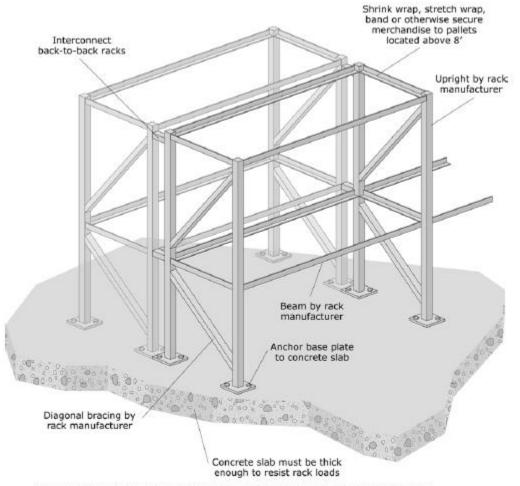


Figure G-19. Light Storage Racks. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Note: Purchase storage racks designed for seismic resistance. Storage racks may be classified as either nonstructural elements or nonbuilding structures depending upon their size and support conditions. Check the applicable code to see which provisions apply.

Figure G-20. Industrial Storage Racks.
(FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

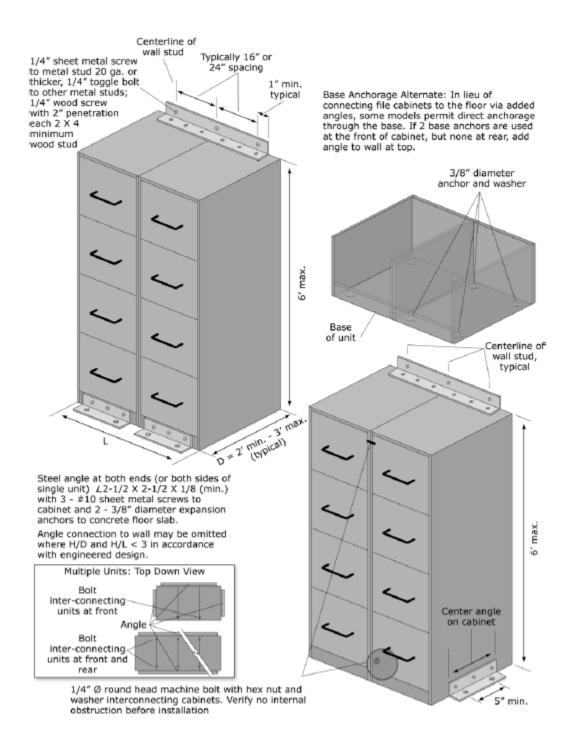


Figure G-21. Wall-mounted File Cabinets. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

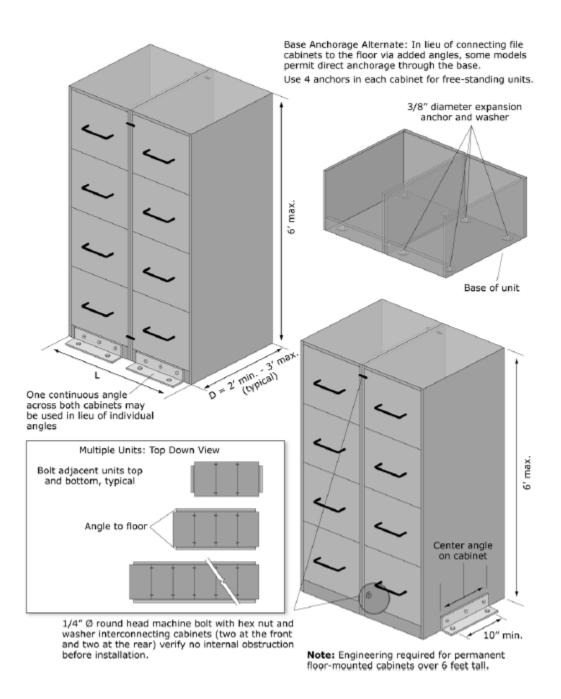
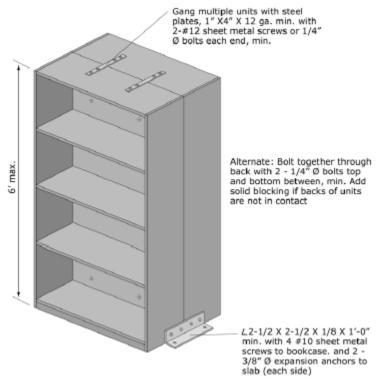


Figure G-22. Base Anchored File Cabinets. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Note: Engineering required for all permanent floor-supported cabinets or shelving over 6 feet tall. Details shown are adequate for typical shelving 6 feet or less in height.

Figure G-23. Anchorage of Freestanding Book Cases Arranged Back to Back. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

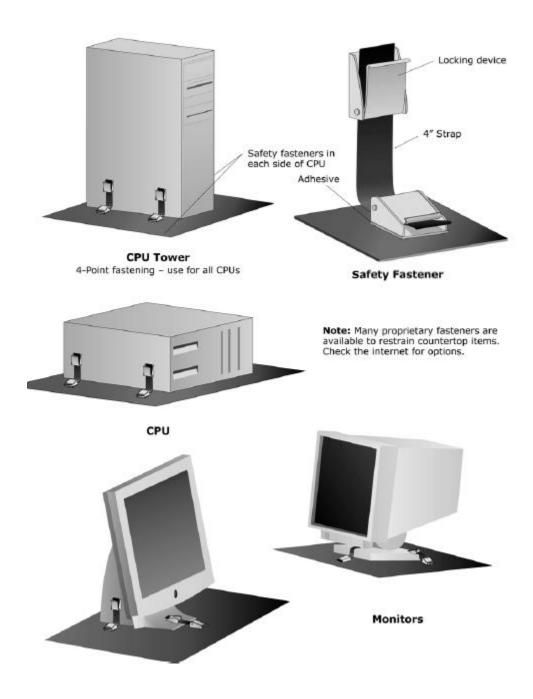
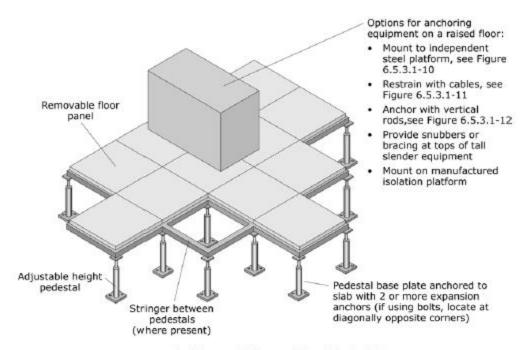
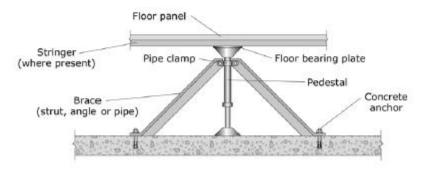


Figure G-24. Desktop Computers and Accessories. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Cantilevered Access Floor Pedestal



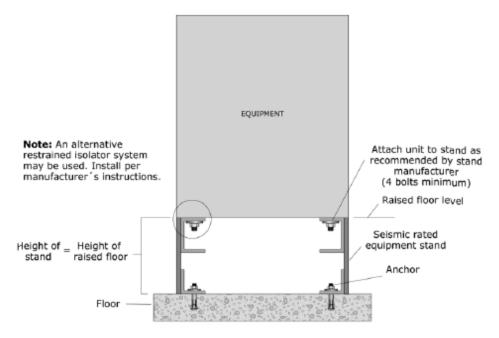
Braced Access Floor Pedestal

(use for tall floors or where pedestals are not strong enough to resist seismic forces)

Note: For new floors in areas of high seismicity, purchase and install systems that meet the applicable code provisions for "special access floors."

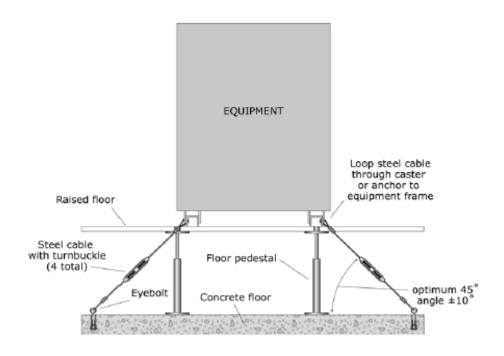
Figure G-25. Equipment Mounted on Access Floor.

(FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



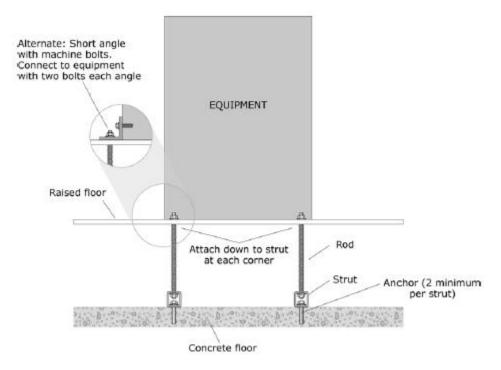
Equipment installed on an independent steel platform within a raised floor

Figure G-26. Equipment Mounted on Access Floor – Independent Base. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Equipment restrained with cables beneath a raised floor

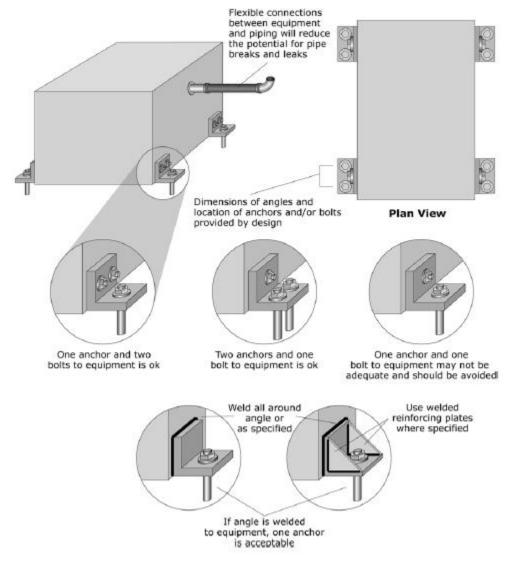
Figure G-27. Equipment Mounted on Access Floor – Cable Braced. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Equipment anchored with vertical rods beneath a raised floor

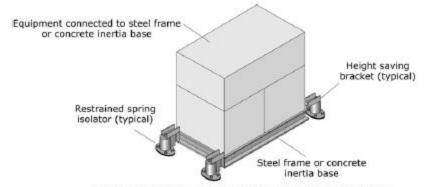
Figure G-28. Equipment Mounted on Access Floor – Tie-down Rods. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

Mechanical and Electrical Equipment

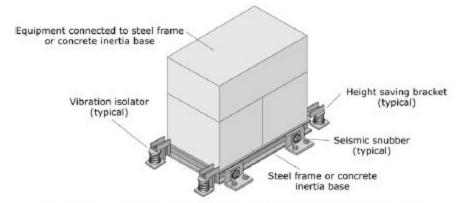


Note: Rigidly mounted equipment shall have flexible connections for the fuel lines and piping.

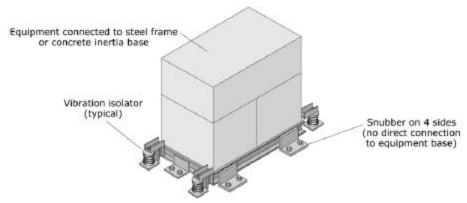
Figure G-29. Rigidly Floor-mounted Equipment with Added Angles. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Supplemental base with restrained spring isolators



Supplemental base with open springs and all-directional snubbers



Supplemental base with open springs and one-directional snubbers

Figure G-30. HVAC Equipment with Vibration Isolation. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

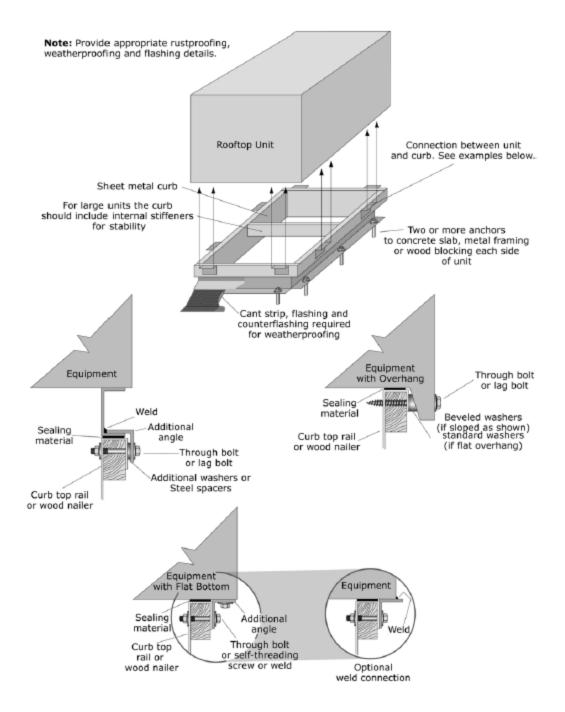


Figure G-31. Rooftop HVAC Equipment. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

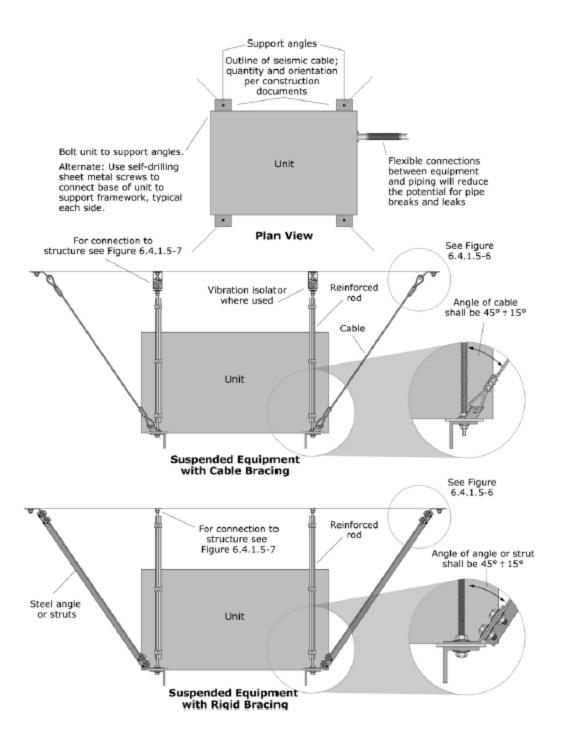


Figure G-32. Suspended Equipment. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

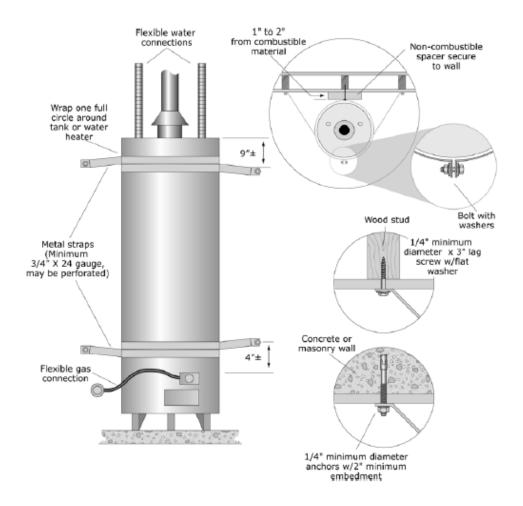


Figure G-33. Water Heater Strapping to Backing Wall. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

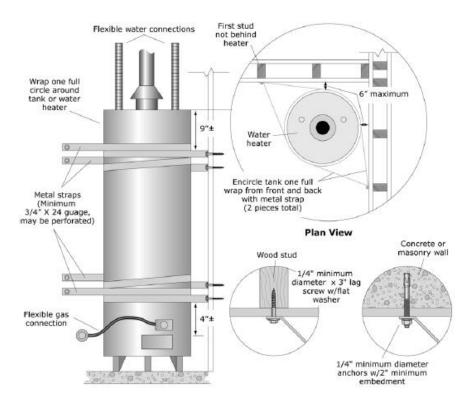


Figure G-34. Water Heater – Strapping at Corner Installation. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

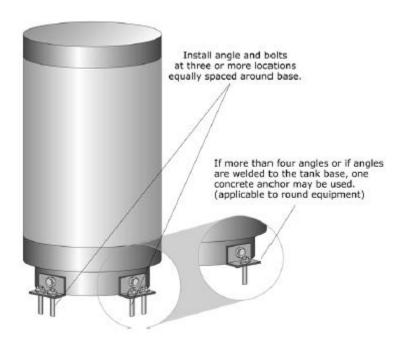


Figure G-35. Water Heater – Base Mounted. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

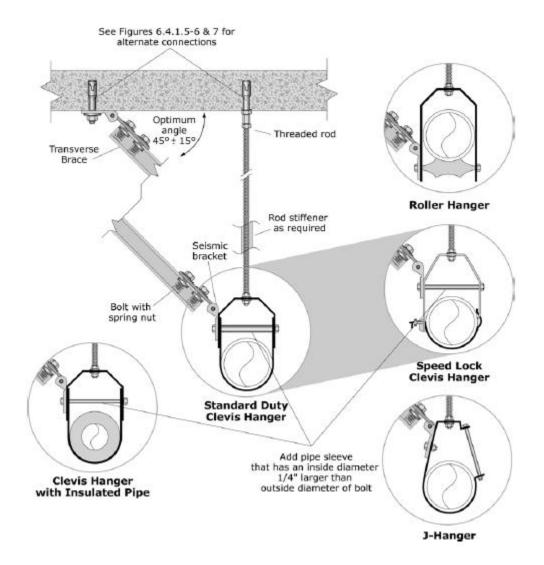


Figure G-36. Rigid Bracing – Single Pipe Transverse. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

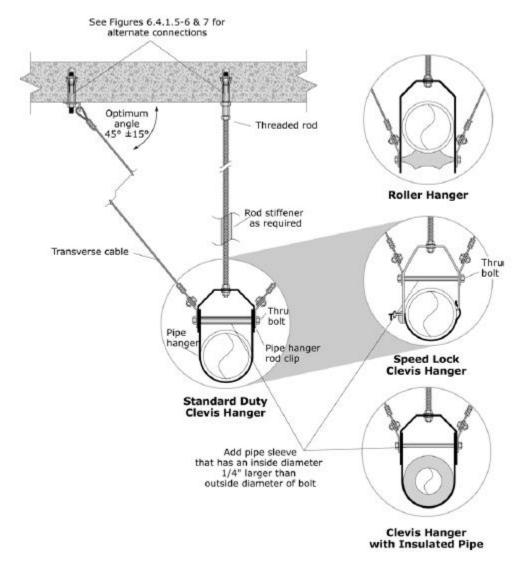


Figure G-37. Cable Bracing – Single Pipe Transverse. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)

Electrical and Communications

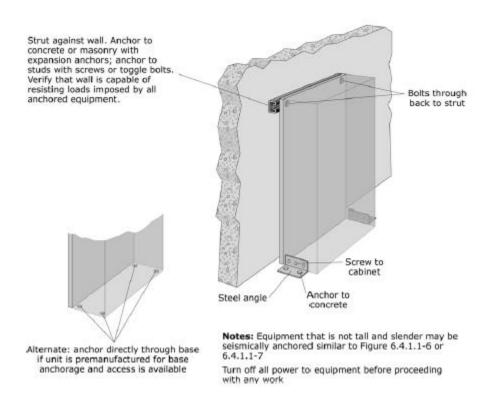
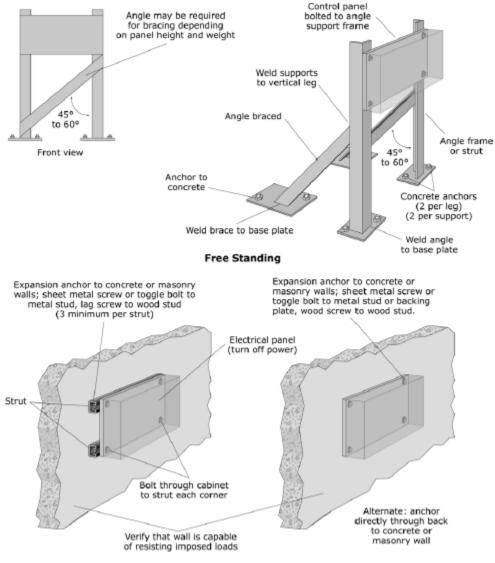


Figure G-38. Electrical Control Panels, Motor Controls Centers, or Switchgear. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)



Wall-Mounted

Figure G-39. Freestanding and Wall-mounted Electrical Control Panels, Motor Controls Centers, or Switchgear.

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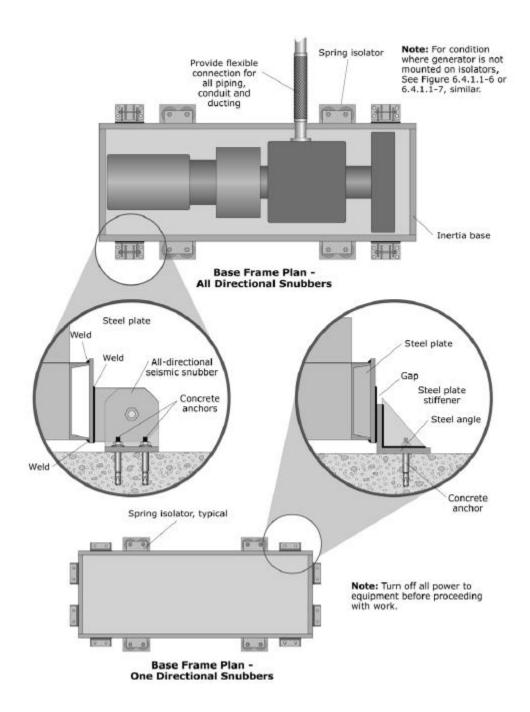


Figure G-40. Emergency Generator. (FEMA E-74, 2012, Reducing the Risks of Nonstructural Earthquake Damage)